

THREE MANIFESTOES FOR THE ELECTORS IN BRITAIN TO CONSIDER

Declaration Issued By Labor Party and Baldwin and Liberals to Give Out Manifestoes; Labor Urges Capital Levy; Baldwin Said to Favor General Ten Per Cent. Duty on Imported Manufactures

London, Nov. 17.—The British Labor Party issued a manifesto to the electors of the country to-day. Premier Baldwin is to issue the manifesto of his party this evening. The Liberals also are expected to issue a manifesto, so the people will have plenty of political food to assimilate over the week-end.

In his manifesto, Premier Baldwin, it is expected, will put the electorate in possession of the main features of his tariff proposals, showing at the same time how he means to fill in the blank cheque which, in the words of his opponents, he is demanding of the country. One of the changes Mr. Baldwin is projecting, according to present speculations, is an all-round ten per cent. duty on imported manufactures, which it is figured would yield a revenue of £23,000,000.

In its manifesto the Labor Party appeals to the nation in a challenge of the Baldwin Government's tariff policy and the whole conception of economic relations underlying it. It argues that tariffs, instead of remedying unemployment, will foster a spirit of profiteering, materialism and selfishness, and thus will perpetuate the inequalities in the distribution of the world's wealth which Labor means to remove.

CLAIM TO KNOW REMEDY

The manifesto claims the party has a positive remedy for unemployment through the operation of national schemes for productive work, with adequate maintenance for those who cannot obtain employment to earn a livelihood for themselves and their families. These schemes include the establishment of a national system of electrical power supply; the development of road, rail and canal transport and improvement of the natural resources; land drainage, reclamation and reforestation; town planning and housing schemes, all of which, it is argued, will be investments for the future as well as a remedy for the present situation.

PROSPERITY FOR FARMERS

The Labor Party promises the British farmer restored prosperity and the farm laborer a living wage, through development of agriculture and establishment of machinery for regulating wages and providing credit and state insurance facilities for the farmers and small landowners and promoting co-operation between production and distribution.

The party proposes "to restore to the people their lost rights in the land, including the minerals," by re-equipping the land valuation department and facilitating the acquisition of land for public use.

INTERNATIONAL FIELD

Labor's international vision, the manifesto continues, is one of co-operation through a strengthened and enlarged League of Nations and the immediate calling by the British Government of an international conference, including Germany, on terms of equality, to deal with revision of the Treaty of Versailles, especially as regards reparations and debts, and likewise resumption of free economic and diplomatic relations with Russia.

The manifesto submits that the Government experts have admitted both the principle and practicality of the scheme, which would be carried out by a Labor Chancellor of the Exchequer who in consultation with the Treasury experts would work out a plan for imposing a non-recurring graduated war debt redemption levy on all individual fortunes exceeding £5,000, to be deducted from the income tax.

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**BELGIANS SELL
RADIUM FROM
CONGO AREA**

Antwerp, Nov. 17.—A Belgian radium factory has just sold 900 milligrams of radium extracted from uranium mined in the Belgian Congo.

**COMPANY SEEKS
OIL IN BAKU AREA**

Moscow, Nov. 17.—The International Baredal Corporation has begun boring operations in the Baku oil district.

**WALT WHITMAN'S
HOUSE DEDICATED**

Camden, N.J., Nov. 17.—Hundreds of admirers of Walt Whitman stood with bare heads to-day as a modest two-story house in which he spent the declining years of his life was dedicated.

**HUNTER KILLED
BY COMPANION**

Parry Sound, Ont., Nov. 17.—A young farmer, J. K. Kerr, of King Township, was accidentally shot dead by a companion last night as they were returning to camp after a day's hunting.

SPANISH KING AND QUEEN PAY A VISIT TO ITALY



KING ALFONSO
Accompanied by Queen Victoria and a party, the King of Spain embarked at Valencia yesterday on the cruiser Jaime I, en route to Rome, where a state visit is to be made.

MONTREAL ROBBERY MADE BULLETS FLY

**Automobile Robbers Held up
Lowney Company Pay-
masters**

**Took \$10,000; Citizens Fired
at Thugs**

Montreal, Nov. 17.—Bandits this morning held up two paymasters of Walter M. Lowney & Company, cocoa manufacturers, in William Street, and robbed them of \$10,000.

The paymasters had just arrived at the main entrance of the plant when a touring car bearing a Rhode Island license drove up. Four men leaped out and thrust revolvers in the faces of the paymasters, seized a bag containing money they had secured in a blaze of crackling pistol shots.

The holdup was only a matter of seconds and the bandits would have escaped without a shot being fired but for the courage of a citizen standing on the opposite curb. Seeing the robbery, he pulled a revolver and fired directly across the street at the bandits. The robbers returned the fire as they sped away.

HORSE WOUNDED
A horse attached to a delivery wagon standing on the street was wounded by a bullet.

The robbery was evidently carefully planned. For several minutes before the arrival of the paymasters the car was driving slowly up and down the street.

The paymasters had returned from the bank in a car and the moment they descended from it the robbers fired on them.

The firm will suffer no loss, as its payrolls are covered by insurance.

**CRISIS IS NEAR
IN PALATINATE**

**German Separatists Are En-
listing Supporters of Their
Cause**

Munich, Nov. 17.—The situation in the Bavarian Palatinate is believed to be approaching a crisis. The Separatists are continually enlisting men, whom the French army doctors examine as to their fitness for service.

The Government of Bavaria has considered and put aside projects for compulsory delivery of foodstuffs by the farmers. Herr Vitzthum, Minister of Agriculture, himself one of the largest farmers in the country, says such a measure would be harder to enforce than prohibition in the United States.

NEW GOLD NOTES AWAITED
The national law requisitioning grain and cattle, which was given up eight months ago, could never satisfactorily be applied in Bavaria and the Government is convinced after re-examining its possibilities that it would be useless at present to attempt to reintroduce the measure. Hence the town populations must get through as best they can until the new gold notes issued in Berlin are distributed in quantities sufficient to replace the old currency.

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\$20,000,000 FOR U.S. EFFORT TO STOP RUM SMUGGLING

Washington, Nov. 17.—President Coolidge has given his approval to Treasury plans for expansion of the coastguard for prevention of rum smuggling. The plans contemplate an expenditure of \$20,000,000 for new craft and additional personnel.

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French Say Agreed Policy With Great Britain Unlikely

**Paris Officials Fear Two Governments Have Drifted
Too Far Apart on Question of How to Treat Ger-
many; Council of Ambassadors to Make Attempt or
Monday to Save the Entente**

Paris, Nov. 17.—After a day of uncertainty as to whether the Allied Council of Ambassadors would meet as originally planned to take up the question of the demands to be made upon Germany, it was definitely announced shortly before 7 p.m. to-day that the meeting of the Council had been postponed until Monday.

The efforts which will be made meanwhile to prevent a break are regarded in political circles here as unlikely to be successful, the French and British Governments being too far apart, it is thought, to make an agreement possible.

London, Nov. 17.—The Franco-British situation has been intensified by the British Government's instructions to its Ambassador at Paris to inform the Ambassadors' Council that Great Britain will not accede to the demands of France for further punitive measures against Germany.

Another overnight development in Allied relations is Premier Mussolini's declaration to the Italian Senate that Italy can not approve "any further occupation of German territory," and that the German people "can not be destroyed."

Although the Italian Premier intimated that Italy did not "contemplate a break with France, some political observers here are not so optimistic over Franco-Italian relations. In these quarters it is feared the deadlock will be made tighter by the British refusal to participate in the further embarrasment of Germany, and will ultimately mean the collapse of the Entente Cordiale, which several times has hung together by a thread.

One suggestion for forcing France into line with the British viewpoint is that she be asked to pay the debt she owes this country.

AWAITED INSTRUCTIONS
Paris, Nov. 17.—It appeared at noon that the meeting of the Allied Council of Ambassadors set for to-day would probably go over until Monday, although the French had been insisting on a meeting at that time. The question of obtaining resumption of Allied military control in Germany. All the Allied Ambassadors, excepting Lord Crewe, the British Ambassador, and United States Ambassador Herrick, who attends the meetings for his Government, were holding themselves in readiness for a compromise, and Lord Crewe probably would not attend a meeting if it was held.

DETECTIVES' HOURS LENGTHENED
Except for eight hours allotted for sleep, detectives are to be constantly on duty.

Uniformed members are to be requested to volunteer for any additional service and offer their privately-owned automobiles for patrol duty in addition to their other work.

BIG FUR ROBBERY
Issuance of these drastic orders followed a daring \$50,000 fur robbery early yesterday, when bandits hurled ash cans through the windows of a store and fired an automaton with the window display, and the theft of a wagon load of silk from a livery stable.</

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Women's Canadian Club—Tuesday, Nov. 20, Empress Hotel, 3.15 p.m. Speaker, Mme. Sanderson-Mongin; Toast, Miss Lois Lockwood. ***

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FORESTRY DISPLAY TO SHOW PRODUCTS OF B.C. IN LONDON

Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, announced today that plans are now complete for the exhibit of British Columbia forest products at the British Empire Exhibition to be held in London next year. This exhibit of forest products is a co-operative effort of the Government and the lumber, shingle, sash and door, box and veneer manufacturers of the Province. It will show to the visitors who will come from all the corners of the British Empire exactly what results can be obtained by means of the British Columbia forest products.

Part of the exhibit will be designed along the lines of the one recently installed by the Province in co-operation with the lumber industry in Toronto. This section will consist of a small bungalow with shingled side-walls and roof, finished in British Columbia Douglas fir. Western hemlock, pine and cedar. Another section will show sash and doors, boxes, veneers, shingles and a miscellaneous exhibit. A continuous film stereoscopic film depicting every phase of the lumber industry.

Loren L. Brown, Timber Land Commissioner for British Columbia, will shortly leave to install the exhibit. While in England he will carry on trade extension work similar to that which he has directed in Eastern Canada so successfully for the past three years. The exhibit is being put on not merely for show purposes, but as part of a general campaign that is carried on to increase the sale of British Columbia timber products.

Addition Made to Brentwood College

Work has been started on new classroom-buildings being added to the Brentwood College. George Calder, of San Juan Avenue, is the contractor for the job, which will cost \$7,200. The classrooms building now being built comprise three classrooms 21 x 30; chemistry laboratory, 21 x 40; and a physics room. In the basement there will be a manual training room and heating chambers and janitors' room. The block of buildings for the whole college will have a quadrangle in the centre which assures light and air spaces all around. A large veranda runs round the classroom building and faces on to the quadrangle.

The addition was contemplated when the original changes were made, and was made necessary at this time by the fact that there is a waiting list of students. A portion of the residential part of the school will be temporarily used as classrooms until the new buildings are completed.

With the other changes, which were completed about two months ago, the college is now handsomely equipped and situated. Accommodation has also been provided for a football ground, cricket pitch, wooden tennis courts, boating house, and ground has been secured for the making of a nine-hole golf course.

Lake Hill Women's Institute will hold a military 500 party at 8 o'clock on Monday evening at the Community Hall, Quadra Street. Refreshments will be served.

VICTORIA MOTION ON IMMIGRATION

Adopted by British Columbia Trades Boards

The Victoria resolution on immigration adopted by the Associated Boards of Trade of British Columbia at the convention in Vancouver, is as follows:

"Whereas the success of an immigration policy is largely dependent upon the number of agriculturists secured, and

"Whereas it is advisable that knowledge gained before coming to Canada should be supplemented by information gained by experience at the place of new settlement in Canada, and

"Whereas the Dominion experimental farms and stations furnish ideal sources for the dissemination of such information and instruction:

Resolved: That the Dominion Government be urged to establish, in connection with the experimental farms and stations throughout Canada, hostels for immigrants, bold men and women, where for suitable periods they can be trained in Canadian methods; provided always that a preliminary examination of the applicant shall prove his or her financial ability to engage in the occupation trained for and pay for training.

Resolved: That the Provincial Land Settlement Board be asked to establish training stations for agriculturists, located as to cover the whole of British Columbia, but without overlapping areas tributary to Dominion experimental farms and stations where it is expected that similar training stations will be provided."

SEED GROWERS OF PROVINCE ORGANIZE

Believe Oriental Will Not Enter Into Competition

Certified seed potato growers organized a provincial-wide organization at a representative meeting of growers held in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium this morning. The Province was divided into seven districts with a director elected of one from each district given power to add to its number.

The Oriental grower, quoted throughout the show as controlling variously from 50 to 75 per cent. of the commercial potato crop of the Province, except into the discussion until the subject was barred by W. D. Michell, chairman on the grounds that the Chinaman did not figure so far as seed potatoes were concerned. The show as controlling variously from 50 to 75 per cent. of the commercial potato crop of the Province, except into the discussion until the subject was barred by W. D. Michell, chairman on the grounds that the Chinaman did not figure so far as seed potatoes were concerned.

THE DIRECTORS

The directors appointed this morning were: Upper Vancouver Island, R. Bates, Comox Valley, Lower Vancouver Island, A. Stewart, Keatings, Kamloops, E. L. Burgess, Windermere, R. G. Newton, Central C. C. George Dalton, Smithers, Grand Forks, C. C. Heaven, Chilliwack, George Clarke.

Cecil Tice, acting chief of the soil and crop section of the Department of Agriculture, said that certified seeds had been handled in a most unsatisfactory manner in previous years. There had been too big a spread of prices. Organization was necessary for grading and marketing of seeds. Sacks he criticized as unsatisfactory containers, and suggested cartons. He also proposed that they should be put up in 25 and 50 lb. lots for the city growers. Regarding grades, he declared that fancy expensive grades met the needs of seed growers but an average grade of certified seed was necessary for the commercial grower.

Dr. Warnock mentioned that the Dominion Government had offered to co-operate with the Provincial Government regarding the inspection of certified seed. The Federal Government was willing to supply two inspectors. Speaking on the Oriental he said the Provincial Government must give inspection to certified seed only when applied for whether they were Oriental or not. He did not think Chinamen would enter the seed potato field for some time.

FIRE CLEANS OUT TOLMIE'S HAY CROP

Trains are blamed for the mid-night fire on the farm of Dr. Simons Tolmie, M.P., Cedar Hill Road, which destroyed the haystack containing the hay crop of the season, valued at \$1,200.

The hay had been stacked there for four months. The fire started in one corner.

Alex McCallum discovered the fire at 11 p.m.

The hay was to be used as feed during the winter for the prize herd of Jerseys and other high-bred cattle on the farm of the former Minister of Agriculture for Canada.

Dr. Tolmie just arrived in Victoria this week from Ottawa.

A sewing meeting, in preparation for the Florence Nightingale Chapter's bazaar, to be held on December 4, will take place at the home of Mrs. Charles MacAdam, Begbie Street, on Tuesday afternoon, November 20.

DR. PLASKETT TO LECTURE TUESDAY

A regular meeting of the Royal Astronomical Society of Canada, Victoria Centre, will be held in the auditorium of the Girls' Central School on Tuesday, November 20 at 8 p.m. When Dr. J. S. Plaskett, F.R.S., will address the meeting on "Recent Astronomical Events in Canada."

The public is invited to attend the lecture, which will be delivered in non-technical language.

MANSON MOVES WITH BURDE FOR PURE BEER HERE

Major R. J. Burde, M.P.P. for Alberni, followed his speech in the Legislature a few days ago by announcing to-day that he had taken up with Attorney-General Manson the question of having an analysis made of all beer sold by the Liquor Control Board.

Major Burde, in his statement said that the Attorney-General has been asked to have an analysis of beer for alcohol content but will now have an analysis made of beer for arsenic, ether and varnish in an effort to protect consumers in this Province.

In stating facts to the Attorney-General, the Major gave more details about the arsenic, ether and varnish in beer than he gave on the floor of the Legislature. He told how he had discovered the arsenic, ether and varnish in beer, which he had accumulated through drinking beer. He took up the matter with doctors here who found ether and shellac and varnish in the beer samples. The Attorney-General says resin was found in the beer and this causes cancer of the kidneys.

ENDORSE PLAN FOR PROVINCE PUBLICITY

Project of Victoria Chamber of Commerce Finds Support

The project of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce to secure some co-operation from the expanded Provincial Government in advertising British Columbia with the object of obtaining more revenue and increased advertising was endorsed by the Associated Boards of Trade of British Columbia. The resolution urged that it would be of advantage to establish an Advisory Board with an advisory capacity to the Provincial Government, which Advisory Board would be composed of men representative of the different portions of the Province, acting in an advisory capacity, and whose functions would be:

- To receive information from various parts of the Province as to the offerings and requirements in each district.
- The distribution and publication of such material as they think advisable and to act generally in an advisory capacity on advertising.
- To take such steps as may be advisable to make known the advantages of the different parts of the Province.
- To act in an advisory capacity in connection with steps to be taken to make known the possibilities of the different parts of the Province.
- To map out tourist routes and to advertise these routes through information as to attractions, accommodations and conditions as will be of assistance to tourists.
- To secure the co-operation of the different parts of the Province in a Provincial line of tourist accommodation.
- To advertise in connection with the tourist business, the industrial and other opportunities available in the Province.

BRITISH ELECTION

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Noted solely to reduction of the national debt. The saving thus effected, with a reduction in expenditure for armaments and with the taxation of land values, would result, it is argued, in a reduction of the income tax and other taxes and provide money as well for necessary services.

EQUAL RIGHTS AND PAY

The Labor Party considers that its policy is directed toward a creation of a humane civilized society with a commonwealth operated along co-operative lines. Its men and women citizens to have equal political and legal rights, equal rights and privileges in parenthood and equal pay for equal work.

The Conservatives seem considerably heartened by Lord Derby's declaration last evening that he had not resigned and did not intend to do so. They would certainly support Mr. Baldwin.

BIRKENHEAD AND CHAMBERLAIN

The Secretary for War added that Lord Birkenhead was heart and soul with him and would co-operate cordially and loyally. The Premier also would have the Earl associated in the co-operation of Austen Chamberlain and Sir Robert Horne. Birkenhead, Chamberlain and Horne are to speak at a Conservative meeting in London on Tuesday and are expected then to define their attitudes more explicitly.

CHURCHILL IN DEMAND

A striking feature of the campaign is the eagerness of several constituencies in parts of England, Scotland and Wales to secure Winston Churchill as their candidate, a noteworthy indication of the estimation in which he is now held by the electors everywhere. Mr. Churchill has not yet stated where he will place his patronage.

Another point of interest is a noteworthy if not a very great increase in the number of Communists who are to seek seats in the new Parliament. It is stated the Communist Party intends to run a dozen candidates.

Northampton, Nov. 17.—Former Premier Lloyd George, in a political speech before a large audience here to-day, condemned the protection policy of the Conservatives as not being a remedy for unemployment. The real reason for the lack of employment, he said, was the impoverishment of Great Britain's customers in consequence of the war, and the first thing to do recently was "to touch-rough Sunday." The object of this Sunday is to persuade, if possible, every citizen to attend some religious service on that day, and every effort has been made to make

ACROSS THE BAY

Debate on speech wound up after three weeks' discussion. Hart's budget coming down soon; legislation up next week. Province cannot help imprisoned boys further, Manson says. Coal lease extension provided for in Government bill. Duncan urges duty on logs exported in raw condition.

With Capt. Ian Mackenzie's brilliant speech yesterday, the debate on the Speech from the Throne yesterday was completed. The debate occupied exactly three weeks. No amendment was made to the Speech from the Throne was offered by the Opposition and the customary Government motion thanking the Lieutenant-Governor for his address was passed unanimously. Features of the debate were the speeches of J. W. de B. Parris, Capt. Ian Mackenzie and Major R. J. Burde, the Opposition's attack on the Liquor Department, John Duncan's crushing reply in the form of a complete investigation into all charges against the Pacific Great Eastern, and the demand of several prominent members for freer sale of beer.

An amendment to the Coal and Petroleum Act, introduced by Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, authorizes the extension under certain conditions of the leasing period under the Act for another three years.

Where a company has been continuously developing a claim for a number of years it may be that the results of the development work do not justify a large capital expenditure for the purpose of Crown granting the claim, but are sufficient to warrant further expenditure for development purposes and to pay the yearly lease fees. The new legislation is for the purpose of authorizing the Executive Council to grant such an extension.

REVENUE FACTS

Revenue for the six months ending September 30, as reported to the Legislature by the Minister of Finance, includes the following items: amusements tax, \$140,232; income and personal property taxes, \$2,653,131; real property tax, \$1,110,035; wild land tax, \$616,698; pari-mutuel tax, \$226,948; succession duties, \$435,776; rural district school taxes, \$396,392.

VICTORIA BILL UP

VICTORIA'S Private Bill will be thrashed out before the Private Bills Committee of the House under Chairman M. B. Jackson in the near future. It was announced to-day. Today the committee dealt with the Prince Rupert Bill, and passed most of its clauses. Considerable discussion arose over the Burnaby Bill, under which the city would be divided into zones for taxation purposes. Reeve H. A. MacLean, of Burnaby, vigorously defended the bill.

URGES TIMBER DUTY

Notice of motion has been given by Mr. Keith Dunsay, member for Cowichan, that on Friday he will move the wealth out of which we lent thousands of millions of pounds and placed us in the position of being able to repay the United States, while the other protectionist countries could not pay us," he said. "The protectionists will come out of the fiery furnace not canonized but cremated."

NOT PLEASANT READING

"The French never went to the Ruhr valley until the advent of the apostles of tranquility (referring to the platform of the late Bonar Law government)."

"M. Poincare's speeches are never very pleasant; he gives the poor Entente baby a sulphuric acid bath every week-end, to keep it clean and bright. How can the poor brat get on? When Poincare came into power we were on the point of settling with Germany, with the consent of all the Allies. All we could do was to catch him by the coat tails and prevent him from rushing himself into further mischief."

PAINTED BLACK PICTURE

The former Premier painted a black picture of the situation in Europe. He said every suggestion and every appeal that Great Britain had made had been rejected by France, Belgium, Italy and Turkey and that at present Britain stood a negligible quantity in the councils of Europe. He deplored the negative results of the United States offer to inquire into Germany's reparations capacity, declaring the present British Cabinet had muddled it, muddled it and finally abandoned it.

TRADE INCREASE

IS \$173,000,000

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while exports of Canadian goods increased from \$490,000,000 to \$552,000,000.

Among the exports, the largest increase, as has been the case frequently of late, was in paper and wood products, although there were considerable increases in iron and other metal products, while there was a falling off in exports of agricultural products. The value of paper products exports rose from \$128,000,000 to \$164,000,000; those of iron and metals from \$28,000,000 to \$37,000,000; of non-ferrous metals from \$21,000,000 to \$33,000,000, while agricultural, vegetable and animal products fell from \$281,000,000 to \$277,000,000. These figures all relate to the seven months ending with October 1923, as compared with the similar period last year.

Special Services in Churches Will be Given To-morrow

To-morrow will be recognized throughout the city churches as "Touch-rough Sunday." The object of this Sunday is to persuade, if possible, every citizen to attend some religious service on that day, and every effort has been made to make

PROTEST SALE OF BEER IN CLUBS

B.C. Prohibitionists Pass Resolution at Convention in Vancouver

Vancouver, Nov. 17.—Declaring the prevalence of clubs in this city made the liquor situation worse than "when the bars were in full swing," Rev. J. S. Henderson, D.D., presided at the British Columbia Prohibition Association convention here to pass a resolution which would leave no doubt in the minds of the public that the City Council was to be held responsible for the sale of beer in Vancouver. The resolution, which was passed unanimously, read:

"Resolved that this convention protests against the present disgraceful situation that has arisen throughout the Province in connection with the sale of liquor in licensed and unlicensed clubs."

"Inasmuch as sale in broken packages is contrary to law, what is going on in clubs is creating a general contempt for law and order. In our judgment, conditions in many places are worse than they were under the old license law."

"We therefore urgently demand that the Government take immediate action to correct the present intolerable situation."

The concluding session of the convention was held last evening.

DEGREE OF DOCTOR OF MUSIC CONFERRED ON PHILIP SOUSA

Millwaukee, Wis., Nov. 17.—Marquette University yesterday conferred the degree of Doctor of Music on John Philip Sousa, the famous bandmaster, in recognition of his work in peace and war.

HINCHIFFE BILL UP

Joshua Hinchcliffe, Conservative Member for Victoria, reintroduced his bill for a law which would force the Government to hold by-elections and fill electoral seats within six months after a vacancy occurs.

According to answers given in the House by Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, there are sixty-seven ferries in operation in British Columbia. Three of these are subsidized by the Government, those at Arrowhead-Beaton, Chilliwack-Harrison and Kelowna-Westbank.

The Nelson Ferry on Kootenay Lake does the largest business, carrying 30,202 passengers, 24,031 autos, 570 rigs and 286 horses were carried by this ferry. There is \$39,550 invested in the ferry and the annual cost of operation is \$28,500.

The Castlegar Ferry carries 28,240 passengers, the Mission Ferry 18,031, Quesnel Ferry 23,767 and the Rosedale-Agassiz Ferry 10,351.

The second largest business is done by the Woodward-Ladner Ferry. For the year 1922-23, 24,031 passengers, 24,031 autos, 570 rigs and 286 horses were carried by this ferry. There is \$39,550 invested in the ferry and the annual cost of operation is \$28,500.

Members of the House and newspapermen were all presented with bright Tadanac ash trays yesterday by James H. Schofield, manager of the Trail. They came as souvenirs from the Trail smelter.

CLOSING OF BANK AFFECTS CANADIANS

International Bank of Port, N.D., Ceases Payment

North Portal, Sask., Nov. 17.—No explanation has up till now been given of the voluntary closing of the First International Bank of Port, North Dakota, yesterday, but it is presumed that loans on farm property of some years standing, upon which it has been impossible to realize owing to low crops and high prices of farm products, lowered the reserve fund necessary to comply with the state bank act.

NOT EXPECTED TO CLOSE

The closing of the doors came as a bolt from the blue. Many Canadian farmers, C.P.R. employees and Government officials had deposits in the bank. As there is no Canadian bank here, the funds of the village of North Portal were also banked here. The six per cent paid on time deposits was also a great inducement for Canadians to use bank rather than Canadian banks, the nearest of which are located at Estevan.

It is estimated that from \$5,000 to \$7,000 in children's savings accounts is involved on both sides of the line, as about a year ago a strong advertising campaign was carried out to interest parents and children in this form of investment.

11TH CANADIAN MACHINE GUN BRIGADE

No. 1 Company Orders—Drill will be held by the above unit on Tuesday next, Nov. 20, at 8 p.m., at the New Drill Hall.

There will be a Men's Mess Meeting in the Recreation Room, at which all members are warmly requested to make special efforts to attend.

Cigarettes and magazines to veterans in hospital were distributed by the sick committee of the Grand Army of United Veterans Wednesday and Thursday. Supplies were distributed to other veterans confined to their homes with sickness. More magazines are needed, and Secretary Howard has an appeal to anyone who has magazines or books to spare to leave them at the G.A.U.V. headquarters, 1313 Government St.

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JNO. LAIRD.

HOSPITAL SERVICE

Canon and Mrs. Hill have arrived in the city from Regina, and have leased Mrs. W. H. P. Sweeney's home on Linden Avenue for the winter months.

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- Great War Veterans' Association Citizen Building, Ottawa
- Army and Navy Veterans in Canada 121 Bishop Street, Montreal
- Imperial Veterans in Canada 700 Main Street, Winnipeg
- Grand Army of United Veterans 19 Gerrard Street, Toronto

Local Addresses:
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REFERENDUM ON TARIFF IS URGED

London Spectator Makes Suggestion to British Free Traders

London, Nov. 17 (Canadian Press Cable).—Following are some points from the weekly reviews relating to the present political campaign: Spectator, Unionist—The Free Traders, like ourselves, have a choice of evils and by far the lesser evil is support Premier Baldwin. The Free Traders, however, should support the protectionist candidates with the explicit reservation that a referendum clause ought to be added to any protectionist legislation. They will never be safe without it.

The Nation, a Democratic Liberal organ—An underlying current of weakness in the inner life of the Labor Party is obvious to any observer. It is possible the Labor Party is obvious to any observer. It is possible the Labor Party may have some electoral successes, but Labor cannot accomplish anything at present which is not on Liberal rather than Labor lines, and is not carried through with Liberal support, not the least because the best of their ability is drawn from good friends of our own who strayed away in the twilight.

PORTRAITS OF LEADERS

London, Nov. 17 (Canadian Press Cable).—The National Liberal Club, the majority of whose members throughout the Liberal trials of the last few years remained faithful to H. H. Asquith, possesses elaborate oil paintings of Lloyd George and Winston Churchill. When Mr. Asquith virtually was driven out of the premiership, the feeling in the club ran so high that both of these portraits were banished to the cellar.

Now that there is a reunion of the two wings of the party under Asquith, the matter of the reinstatement of the portraits of Lloyd George and Churchill to their former honored positions will be considered by a committee of the club next week.

URGE INCREASE IN IMMIGRATION

Resolutions Adopted by the Associated Boards of Trade of Ontario

Hamilton, Ont., Nov. 17.—Gradual removal of the war-time restrictions on immigration will be urged on the Federal Government according to a resolution adopted here yesterday by the Associated Boards of Trade of Ontario.

Other resolutions to be sent to the Federal Government approve of the linking up of soldier settlement work with immigration; the control of the agencies by Canadian authorities to prevent misrepresentation; that officials coming into direct touch with prospective immigrants should be Canadian citizens informed upon Canadian conditions; the formation of a national citizenship with the Federal authorities providing leadership and information; a strong forward policy, making the fullest use of science for the development of Canada's natural resources, particularly coal and iron ore; the general improvement of agricultural conditions and the inter-provincial exchange of commodities; greater co-operation on the part of those interested in immigrants to prevent a repetition of that state of affairs which prevented the return of harvesters last fall; and the appointment of a standing committee of eight members of the boards to give constant attention to the big problem.

EMPIRE MINING COUNCIL PLANNED

Proposal is to Prevent Flooding of Unsound Schemes

Winnipeg, Nov. 17.—The flooding of "wildcat" mining schemes in the British Empire will be prevented if the proposal to form an Empire Federated Council of Mining and Metallurgy is carried out, according to F. Marriott, a prominent mining authority and past president of the British Institute of Mining and Metallurgy, who addressed the Manitoba branch of the Canadian Mining Institute here last night.

Mr. Marriott is touring the Empire in the interests of the proposed council, which is to be created at the British Empire Exhibition next year. He reported great enthusiasm for it. Under the scheme, each Dominion would send two representatives, with full powers, to sit on the central council. The crown colonies and protectorates would also be represented. The council, he said, would register proper mining engineers in all local districts of the Dominions, men who would thoroughly investigate mining conditions, in the districts, and who were expert mining authorities, and these men would report for British clients who proposed investing money in properties situated in their districts.

NOVA SCOTIA COAL FOR ONTARIO USERS

Toronto Globe Suggests New Efforts to Solve Fuel Problem

Toronto, Nov. 17.—"Sir Henry Thornton has said the last word on the reduction of freight rates on Alberta coal to the East," remarks The Globe editorially to-day. "If nothing more can be done in this way, we might turn our eyes toward Nova Scotia. There is an abundance of coal there which might be converted into domestic fuel for cooking. There would be cheap transportation by water and the cargoes would be coming in the opposite direction from shipments of grain. The coal of Nova Scotia and Ontario should get together and try to work out a solution of the fuel problem on this line."

NOT ALL FARMERS OF ALBERTA JOIN THE WHEAT POOL

Winnipeg, Nov. 17.—Emphasizing the claim that sixty per cent. of the farmers and wheat acreage of Alberta have not signed the Wheat Pool contract, while fifty per cent. of the Alberta elevator capacity has agreed to take Pool wheat, the non-pool elevators to-day issued a statement in reply to that made recently by H. W. Wood, chairman of the Alberta Wheat Pool, regarding causes of disagreement.

The non-pool elevator men do not dispute the rights of grain growers under the Canada Grain Act, cited by Mr. Wood, but incline to regard the rights of sixty per cent. of the Alberta farmers as worthy of protection which the forty per cent. elevator capacity can afford.

"The non-pool elevators feel they have a duty to perform in providing facilities to the farmers who are not members of the Pool," the statement says.

NEW FOREMAN IN DUNCAN SERVICE

Duncan, Nov. 17.—J. R. Underwood has taken over his duties as foreman of the Waterworks Department, having been chosen by the City Council at its meeting this week. Mr. Underwood is a returned soldier with four years' service to his credit overseas.

Aldermen Pitt and Whitten were elected to act on the Council of Revision on the city voters' list on December 5.

REPORTS ON SEED FROM 930 GROWERS

Ottawa, Nov. 17 (Canadian Press).—The 1923 seed crop is the subject of an advance report by the Canadian Seed Growers' Association based on crop registration and visible market supply of registered and Extra Number 1 seed. Wheat, it is estimated, will be 264,014 bushels on 12,612 acres; oats, 361,240 bushels on 8,560 acres; barley, 17,925 bushels on 336 acres; and corn, 4360 bushels on 133 acres.

This information, it is asserted, is based on individual inspection reports on the fields of 930 growers.

The great bulk of this seed has been produced in Alberta and Saskatchewan.

LONDON AGAIN CHIEF FINANCIAL CENTRE OF WORLD

Montreal, Nov. 17.—Walter Leaf, chairman of the London County Westminster and Paris Bank and past president of the British Institute of Bankers, addressing the Canadian Club here yesterday, declared London had already regained its old position as the great financial centre of the world and the place to which most nations turned to float loans.

GIRL DISAPPEARED

Halifax, Nov. 17.—Leaving behind a number of letters stating that because she had been betrayed by her former lover, she would commit suicide, eighteen-year-old Agatha D. Bray, Dartmouth, disappeared Wednesday night and has not been seen since.

EIGHT-HOUR DAY PLAN OPPOSED

Associated Boards of Trade Held Convention in Vancouver

Vancouver, Nov. 17.—Opposition to the passing of legislation making compulsory in British Columbia an eight-hour day in all industries was recorded by delegates to the convention of the Associated Boards of Trade of British Columbia at their concluding session here yesterday.

W. L. Macken, Chilliwack, was re-elected president, and W. G. Ternan, of Rosland, vice-president.

Additional duty on fuel oil entering British Columbia will be urged as a measure of protection for the coal industry.

MOTORMAN KILLED WHEN CARS STRUCK

Windsor, Ont., Nov. 17.—An Essex Interurban car collided with another car near here yesterday morning, causing the death of Motorman Wigle, of Kingsville, and injuring fifteen others, three seriously.

Both cars, it is said, were speeding at more than thirty miles an hour when they collided. The southbound interurban, of which Wigle was motorman, was cut almost in two by the force of the impact.

The list of seriously injured follows: Frances Cochrane, seven, daughter of Thomas Cochrane, Sandwich South; Miss Jean Peterson, twenty-one, Kingsville; and James Todd, Toronto, who is reported dying.

BUSINESS FAILURES

Ottawa, Nov. 17.—Fifty-two assignments of business firms under the Bankruptcy Act are officially gazetted this week. The number last week was fifty.

FLAW FOUND IN CRIMINAL CODE

Not Declared Coins of Canada Not to be Counterfeited

Montreal, Nov. 17.—Whether purposely or by mistake, a flaw was left in Article 556 of the Criminal Code. That section dealing with the manufacture or disposal of spurious money, omits to specify that coins of the Dominion of Canada must not be counterfeited. It was on the basis of this that counsel for Albert Cote, charged with counterfeiting, argued at some length before the Court of King's Bench here yesterday.

Crown Prosecutor Calder declared that the English version of the Criminal Code is correct but that the French version has not been properly translated. He thought the argument advanced was the most "desperate" kind of technicality.

The case will be continued Monday.

CONVENTION WITH NO SET SPEECHES

World Power Conference in London Will be Unique

Washington, Nov. 17.—A convention programme without a single set speech, will make the World Power Conference, to be held in London next July, one of the unique gatherings of all time. Representatives of every nation in the world interested in the production or utilization of power will meet to discuss the policies and practices of each country.

Possibly mindful of the boredom incident to days of long and technical speeches, the directing committees have promulgated the no speech rule, and, instead, the many papers to be presented will be submitted to the delegates beforehand and the session continuing two weeks, will be devoted to informal discussions of the problems presented.

The conference will be held at the same time as the British Empire Exhibition. While it is being promoted by the British Electrical and Allied Manufacturers' association, it is not supported officially by the British Government, but by British and American technical and industrial organizations.

C. C. Merrill, executive secretary of the Federal Power Commission, is general chairman of the American committee arranging for American participation.

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WILL CONTINUE TO WORK MEXICAN OIL FIELD

Mexico City, Nov. 17.—Questioned concerning reports of the withdrawal from Mexico of the El Aguila Oil Company, a British corporation, Sir Henri Deterding, head of the Royal Dutch-Shell group, stated to-day: "I would be the last one to withdraw from Mexico."

Sir Henry declined to discuss the impression he gained of the American petroleum situation during his visit to the Tampico region and a twenty-four-hour visit to Mexico City. He is about to leave for the United States.

FOUR-YEAR SENTENCE

Toronto, Nov. 17.—Four years in penitentiary was the sentence imposed yesterday on A. R. Henderson, convicted on charges of theft and failure to make proper returns in connection with the flotation of the Superior Surgical Supplies Company.



Wind—Dust—Germs

THE swirling fall winds stir up the germ-laden dust. The delicate mucous linings of the nose and throat become irritated until inflammation is set up and it only requires sudden changes of temperature to start a cold.

With many people this means more or less trouble all winter, and besides there is always a considerable proportion of colds that develop into bronchitis, pneumonia or consumption.

Bronchitis is the test of what a treatment for colds will do, and because Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine affords quick relief from bronchitis you may be sure that it makes short work of ordinary coughs and colds.

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family use it or are you satisfied to take whatever new and untried mixture that may be offered to you?

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THE HOSPITAL CAMPAIGN

By this time it is safe to say that practically every Victorian is aware of the fact that a request for funds for the new addition to the Jubilee Hospital is being made. During the week that is about to close appeals for assistance have been confined to a selected list of citizens. The response which has been met with has been liberal and encouraging. But this is only a beginning.

Next Monday a corps of willing workers will take up the intensive part of the campaign. Arrangements have been made that will facilitate a direct appeal to every Victorian. The committee in charge of the business of the "drive" is not expecting miracles to be performed. Its members recognize the pressing needs for which the average household must provide from day to day. They merely ask that every adult individual give the matter consideration over the week end and decide as far as may be possible the amount of the contribution that will be set aside for this deserving cause. By thus giving thought to the matter beforehand the time and trouble that the canvasser is devoting to the work will be conserved and the object attained the quicker.

It is not necessary to discuss the merits of the appeal at this stage. Most people realize that it is necessary for progressive public spirited citizens to help the weak and suffering. The present campaign is just this and we are quite sure that Victorians are ready and willing to discharge their obligation as long as it shall be necessary.

ENCOURAGING

To those who seem to think that Victoria is having hard times, and that it is only a matter of time before the whole country will apply to the Court for a winding-up order, we would commend the study of a small item of news which appeared in The Times on Thursday. In it they will discover that this city's bank clearings for the week ending November 15 totalled \$2,271,012 as against \$1,939,608 for the corresponding period last year. Here is an increase getting on for a quarter of a million dollars. We suppose this satisfactory showing will be noted by the blue ruin preachers. All progressive elements will be pleased at it. But how comes it that there should be this improvement if hundreds of our people are leaving this locality from year to year? Conversely it reminds us of the old lady who bought brushes at sixpence a dozen and sold them for fivepence halfpenny. When she was asked how she did it and continued in business she replied that it was the quantity she sold that gave her her "profit."

A NOTABLE BIRTHDAY

A notable anniversary in journalism was recently celebrated by The Quebec Chronicle when it marked its seventy-fifth year of continued existence as a newspaper. Actually, however, The Chronicle can trace its origin much further back. Through The Quebec Gazette from which it descended it goes as far into Canada's history as 1764, the year after the Treaty of Paris by which French rule gave way to British domination. The Chronicle, therefore, is an important link with that momentous period, which was marked by the evolution of the young British colony into a great self-governing dominion—the American invasion of 1776, difficulties of administration, racial disputes, the struggle for responsible government against the tyranny of the Family Compact, the rebellion of 1837 and the various political changes which ended in Confederation. In recent years The Chronicle was under the direction of Major-General Sir David Watson, who proved himself in the Great War to be as able a soldier as he had shown himself, in many years of service, to be a newspaperman. His death a short time ago involved certain changes in organization and these also have been emphasized in the anniversary celebration which The Chronicle has marked by issuing a very creditable special number.

GO TO THE LEAGUE MEETING

If the same interest that Victorians manifested in Sir George Foster and his message from the League of Nations upon the occasion of his recent visits here shall be again demonstrated next Tuesday night, the meeting which has been called for the purpose of forming a Victoria branch of the League of Nations Society of Canada will be a well attended and profitable one.

The gathering in question will take place in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium and its objects in detail will be adequately explained. No other qualification save that of a desire to assist the work of the League of Nations is required for membership in the branch about to be formed. In many parts of Canada similar organizations have taken root and are working along educational lines towards the creation of the will to peace among our own population. Similar activities have taken hold of a large and in-

fluential section of the people of Britain and at no distant date it may be set down that there will exist in many parts of the world a great volume of moral support for the Covenant.

Although it may not apply to local attitude it will have to be admitted that public apathy towards the League of Nations, a proneness to consider individual words and actions as unimportant factors in the moulding of a nation's policy, is largely responsible for the delay in replacing the remaining vestiges of the organization's academic status by the more virile influence that it must possess before it will be able, on its own authority alone, to enforce its decrees. Nor will the League of Nations be the success it should be, it will never adequately assist humanity to realize the hope which it has pinned to this war-averting agency, until the peoples of the world compel their governments to use it when international disputes arise.

Victoria's duty is as clear as daylight. As the capital city of British Columbia it should take its place among other Canadian cities and lend its aid to the League of Nations. The individual duty is clear and it is important that it be discharged. War is personal to every man and woman. Peace should be similarly regarded.

LEAVE IT TO DR. SUTHERLAND

Victoria's delegates to the annual meeting of the Associated Boards of Trade of British Columbia were wisely instructed in respect of their contribution to the debate upon the question of the route to be followed in providing the missing link for the trans-provincial highway. The local Chamber of Commerce, obviously recognizing the fact that the Minister of Public Works and his colleagues in the Cabinet must be guided by engineering advice and not by appeals for sectional consideration and advantage, advocated Victoria support to a general expression that would put the Association on record in favor of a commencement of the work next Spring. It has transpired that a resolution along these lines, with a mild expression of impatience at delay to date, received the hearty endorsement of the meeting. Consequently Dr. Sutherland will be able to put the final touches to his already exhaustive inquiries into the feasibility of both Northern and Southern routes without being pestered by delegations whose arguments must lack the greater portion of the information that is now in his hands. Incidentally, the adoption of the Victoria attitude no doubt avoided an acrimonious discussion between the rival proponents.

Note and Comment

A Vancouver newspaper heading reads thus: "Bee Men Are in Angry Mood." Since the dispatch has a Victoria date line we presume these gentlemen have been buzzing round the Parliament Buildings.

Viscount Grey of Falloden says another war is coming. If all the people who talk about war would begin to talk about peace the world might get a better chance to right itself.

Mussolini says that Italy can not approve any extension of the Ruhr occupancy. But if France considers it to her interest to walk a little farther into Germany what is the modern Cromwell going to do about it?

It is now suggested that if the Liberals of Britain should be returned Mr. Asquith would form a Government and then quietly retire and leave the job to Mr. Lloyd George. This seems like a nice little arrangement; but we hesitate to believe that the reconciliation between the two ex-Preriffs has progressed as far as a "job" of this sort.

The less Mr. Lloyd George says about the need or otherwise of an election in Great Britain at this stage the less likely he is to be reminded of one or two little incidents in his career that had no regal whatsoever for other than personal circumstances. His best plan is to stick to the main issue and employ all the Liberal team work that is available.

Some Thoughts for To-day

Nor deem the irrevocable Past,
As wholly wasted, wholly vain,
If, rising on its wrecks, at last
To something nobler, we attain.

Longfellow.

Experience, next, to thee I owe,
Best guide; not following thee, I had remain'd
In ignorance; thou open'st wisdom's way,
And giv'st access, though secret, she retire.

Milton.

Bold Adversity
Cries out for noble York and Somerset,
To beat assailing death from his weak legions.
And while the honorable captain there
Drops bloody sweat from his war-wearied limbs.
Shakespeare.

Our Contemporaries

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New York Sun and Globe:—A new oil field, this time in Texas, has started pouring two or three hundred thousand barrels a day into the surplus production of the country. It never rains crude oil but it pours. We could not have a better illustration of the need of more reservoirs for petroleum. They conserve the supply, like reservoirs for water in lands of drought and drought.

CIVILIZATION'S DUTY
Australasian—International peace and the development of backward races are needful, not only because they are in themselves worthy to be promoted by civilized nations, but because peace and development mean expanding trade. But America cannot expect other peoples to do the international and civilizing work of the world and let her come in and reap the rewards. She must "do her bit." A selfishness is not merely unneighborly and unworthy of a great nation; it does not pay.

Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and clearly written. The longer an article the shorter the chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name and address of the writer, but not for publication unless the owner wishes. The publication or rejection of a letter is at the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for letters submitted to the Editor.

DISCLAIMER

To the Editor:—Will you be kind enough to accept and publish the fact that the undersigned is not in any way connected with the George Allison recently fined in the Sancho Police Court.

GEO. W. ALLISON.
City Hall, Nov. 15.

THE PLAYHOUSE

To the Editor:—As the owner of the above theatre, I should like the public to know that if the class of show presented does not please the general public, how impossible it is for me to pay the taxes, insurance and necessary repairs and have anything left as an earning on the investment.

The experience of the Allen Co., the Williams Co., the Mildred Page Co., and the Compton Co. proves conclusively that the public will not give sufficient support to an exclusively dramatic stock company. Obviously this is not attributable to the imperfect presentation of the plays, which have never failed to please the audience. In each case the failure is due entirely to the small number attending.

The one thing the public do seem to want is music and first-class moving pictures. Once convinced of this, there was no other alternative but to enter into an agreement with a management that would provide both, and this has been done.

R. RICHARDS.

THE CHOSEN PEOPLE

To the Editor:—May I ask a little space to refer to a subject attracting crowds of believers in England today and which had it been more known would have saved much of the confusion in Europe now, and that is the identity of the British with Israel.

We have been told that "God has no pets," and it may be true; but God has, from earliest days, chosen individuals out to do some special work for him, and Abraham was called the "Friend of God," and in consequence of his unwavering obedience and faith as shown in Genesis xxii, very great blessings and exceptional privileges were promised to him, and his descendants, and these have mostly been fulfilled to Great Britain already, and certainly not to any other nation; and as we have been so wonderfully delivered on at least three occasions, we may trust God also for the future and rejoice that "He that keepeth Israel shall stumble not, nor sleep." These truths have saved hundreds who through modernist and other false teaching had lost their faith, and we thank God for the privilege of belonging to a race chosen to preserve the word of God, and send it forth to all nations, and also to undo the heavy burdens and let the oppressed go free.

This teaching helps to counteract the very general disregard of the Old Testament and consequent denial of sin, and our need of a sin-bearer, who we are told "Bore our sins in His own body on the tree," I Peter, ii, 24, and it gives us an understanding of the love for the scriptures Christ told us to search diligently. Why then are our ministers so slow to accept and welcome teaching that would bring new life to their churches. I know of one where all are believers in this truth, and it is always filled, and not so much need for begging for God's work there.

OPTIMIST.

HELP THE HOSPITAL

To the Editor:—What a splendid thing it would be for our city and us, as citizens, if, within the next few days, instead of waiting for a canvasser to call, every one who is able, and that means every real citizen, would hand in or send in his or her contribution for the new Jubilee Hospital. Such a move would be a boost for Victoria and perhaps, at the tide of migration back again instead of across the line to the South. If we only had a little more faith in our city it would react splendidly.

One who has been seriously ill and has experienced the difference between the splendid treatment afforded in a well-equipped hospital as compared with most of our homes, cannot but rejoice that such a fine building is nearing completion to serve our sick and suffering. We can be justly proud of that magnificent new wing.

As citizens we owe a debt of gratitude to the splendid men and women of the Hospital Board who have worked indefatigably to make this hospital second to none in the country. The president of the board deserves especial credit for the generous, unselfish, big-hearted way in which he has led this movement and courageously faced all difficulties with a faith that showed no wavering. Having done their part well, the board have issued a call to finish the building free of debt, and shall we who have so far only looked on stand back and "let George do it," or shall we voluntarily come forward with our contributions as our means will permit.

A few splendid gifts have been received, but let us all give something and then in the years to come we shall be able to point with pride and say "I helped to build." As I stood in that vast crowd on Sunday in front of the Parliament Buildings, as we observed the fifth anniversary of armistice, I could not help but wonder how sincere was our gratitude and how we as a people could express it in a real practical form. As we recall once more the sacrifice of those who have their all "in Flanders Fields" shall we not be willing to dedicate this building free of debt as a lasting memorial of our gratitude to God?

M. RAYNOR.

CHARLOTTE BRONTE

To the Editor:—May I be allowed to protest against the circulation by the Victoria Public Library of books recently republished whose titles are misleading. Having entertained a long and arduous study of Charlotte Bronte's biography "The Life

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of Charlotte Bronte. It is with a shock I find, in a new edition, bearing the name of Mrs. Gaskell on its cover as the author, the facts of Charlotte Bronte's tragic life twisted and distorted, evidently by a group of individuals who set forth their own political, social, and religious views at great length, hoping I suppose thus to impress the unwary. Poor Charlotte Bronte! A great genius whose tragic life is one of the saddest ever recorded, that she should come to this.

An introduction to this volume, written by a reputable man, Mr. Clement Shorter, is dated the year 1900. The reprint of this edition is dated 1920. Some very modern-looking photographs showing the personage (the old Bronte home) as it existed in a mouldy churchyard on the Yorkshire Moors some hundred odd years ago, do not correspond with the old prints I have seen. One feels sure that the many thousands of clergymen living to-day would heartily condemn this bogus literature. Some of the latest editions of bygone and famous authors are now adorned with lengthy prefaces that appear to me to be propaganda.

Speaking of humbug, surely the law should protect the works of bygone genu (hope this last word is correct) from being tampered with. Recently I had occasion to buy a well-known and simple minuet by Beethoven. I was given a copy adorned with some person's name in very large type on the cover, followed by the announcement this was the said person's version. This version differing from Beethoven in that some ten or twelve notes were omitted from the second movement. The immortal name of Beethoven was tucked away in an obscure corner.

Yes; we have no bananas! Public opinion protects the works of Shakespeare, Phidias and Michael Angelo from being tampered with.

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—Gloves, Main Floor

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—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

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—Whitewear, First Floor

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Genuine Indian Moccasin Slippers, beaded and fur trimmed. Grey or brown suede. A pair \$1.50
Children's sizes, a pair, \$1.25 and \$1.00

Superior Quality Moccasin Slippers, of fawn or grey buckskin and hair seal, beautifully trimmed with fur. Women's sizes. \$3.00

Women's Felt Slippers, with soft chrome leather soles. All colors. Special, a pair \$1.00

Women's Felt Slippers, of superior quality, fancy collar and trimmed with pompom. A pair \$1.50

Women's Felt Juliet Slippers, with leather sole. All colors, a pair \$1.95

Women's Boudoir Slippers, of suede or kid, with chrome leather soles and rubber heels. All colors \$1.50

Children's Felt Cavalier Slippers, with chrome leather soles, shades; Alice blue or red. Sizes 6 to 10, a pair \$1.35

Children's Felt Strap Slippers, with soft, chrome leather soles. Six different colors. All sizes to 2. \$1.00

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Men's All-leather Slippers, strong and comfortable; black, brown or maroon. A pair \$1.95

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Men's Felt Slippers, with soft leather soles. All colors \$1.50

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—Jewelry, Main Floor

Men's Christmas Gloves Golden Values

Men's Mitts, with one finger, a practical glove for motorists, and warm; shown in chocolate brown leather; with deep gauntlet wrist and strap buckle. A pair, \$4.95

Men's Lined Black Leather Motor Gloves, with deep folding gauntlet; extra heavy and wonderful value. All sizes. A pair \$3.00

Men's Black Lined Astrachan Gloves, with leather palm and gauntlet wrist. A wonder value for the money. They will stand hard wear. Golden Value, a pair, \$1.65

Men's Tan Leather Gloves, well lined and with fur wrist. They have strap fasteners and are Golden Value, a pair \$3.75

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Good Quality Stationery Ribbon, tied, daintily boxed. Special \$48¢

—Lower Main Floor

Early Suggestions for Children's Christmas Gifts

Children's Caps and Scarves, in pink and white and all white. Golden Value \$1.95

Wool Scarves, in fawn, brown, white, pale blue and white. Many styles to choose from; suitable for the ages of 4 to 14 years. \$1.00 to \$1.95

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—Children's, First Floor

English Wool Tams, white, blue, navy and emerald. Golden Values, \$1.00 and \$1.25

Boys' Wool Hats, with turn-up brims, in emerald, blue, navy, white. Suitable for the ages of 2 to 6 years. Each \$1.00

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Men's Scarves—Fibre Silk and Wool—Golden Values

Fibre Silk and Wool Neck Scarves, plain white, colors of black heather shades and fancy stripes; full length and width and with fringe ends. Any scarf boxed for presentation. Golden Values, \$1.75 to \$4.50

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

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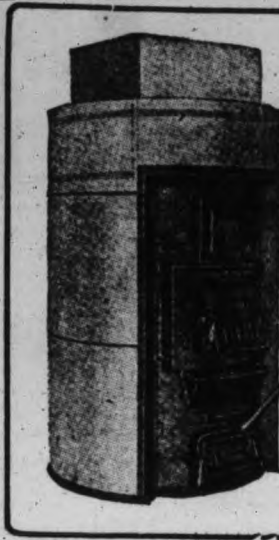
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We are heavily stocked on certain lines and must make room for Christmas goods.

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Nabob Tea, reg. 50c lb. now 35c	Lanka Tea, reg. 75c lb. for 60c
Reception Tea, reg. 70c lb. now 60c	Empress Tea, reg. 75c lb. for 60c
Golden Star Tea, reg. 65c lb. 57c	Elite Tea, reg. \$1.50 lb. for \$1.19
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Local Council of Women—A discussion on immigration will be one of the main features of the agenda at the monthly meeting of the Local Council of Women, to be held in the Arts and Crafts Clubroom on Monday, at 2.30.

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NEW WAGE ORDER PROTECTS MANY WOMEN WORKERS

Scale For Inexperienced Females to Apply to 300 Manufacturing Firms

Close Check Kept Upon the Wages Paid to Women

Large numbers of working women and girls in British Columbia industry will be affected by the Minimum Wage Board's order fixing new rates to be paid to inexperienced workers and to learners, according to figures compiled by J. D. McNiven, chairman of the board and Deputy Minister of Labor, made public yesterday at the Parliament Buildings.

The new order, which will come into force November 20, does not make any change in the minimum wage of \$14 a week which must be paid to experienced female workers. It sets out a new scale of rate, however, for women and girls learning various crafts and fixes the period during which they shall be considered inexperienced. This period varies according to the nature of the employment, ranging from six to eighteen months, and a sliding scale of lower wages is provided for until the full legal minimum is reached. If, however, a girl is apprenticed under indentures approved by the Minimum Wage Board to the skilled trades, the wage schedule does not apply.

About 300 manufacturing firms in the Province who employ female help will be affected by the new order. To each of these firms a copy of the order has been sent, and they are required, under a penalty, to post it in their place of business, in such a position that it can be conveniently referred to by the employees.

The new order has been made by the Board following lengthy negotiations. The original order, made a few years ago, was found by experience to be somewhat rigid in its application to inexperienced help, in view of the fact that some manufacturing processes take a longer learning period than others. That section of the order was therefore rescinded, and it is believed that the new order, which has been drawn up after much inquiry and consideration, will be fair to everyone concerned.

One important change from the original order may be specially noted," says a statement issued by Mr. McNiven. Whereas a distinction was formerly drawn between girls under 18 years and inexperienced women over that age, the same conditions now obtain as to wages and learning periods whether an employee is over or under 18 years of age. Not more than 15 per cent of a firm's female employees, however, are allowed to be classed as learners.

WOMEN PROTESTED

"Even now, after nearly five years of the working of the Act, many women and girls in the Province are evidently unaware of the extent to which their interests are protected by it," Mr. McNiven declared. "Cases continue to come to notice from time to time of girls who are working for less than the legal minimum wage. When this is the case the employer is liable to refund the amount by which an employee has been underpaid, and through the intervention of the Board this has been done by five employers during the month of October. Fifty-four employees thus receiving the amounts due to them. The figures so recovered during the month was \$713.

"The individual sums were mostly small, ranging from 30 cents upwards, but in one case, where underpayment had been going on a long period, the amount recovered was in the neighborhood of \$500. These cases affected women in Victoria, Vancouver, and various centres in the Okanagan country, and the remedy was made to girls working in offices, laundries, fruit canneries, mercantile establishments and light lunch stands.

STRICT ENFORCEMENT

"The fact that a girl may have consented, whether voluntarily or under pressure, to accept less than the legal minimum wage, does not do away with an employer's liability to be prosecuted for violating the law," said Mr. McNiven. "Neither does it prevent him from being sued in the civil court and ordered to refund the amount of the underpayment. Up to the present time, when a case of underpayment has been brought before the Board, we have usually consented to a settlement out of Court on a refund being made of the full amount due to an employee, but it is a question whether we ought to be so lenient in the future. The Minimum Wage Law has now been in operation long enough for every employer to be fully acquainted with its main provisions, and we shall be more inclined from now on to regard breaches of the law not as inadvertent lapses, but as deliberate attempts to deprive women workers of their rights."

White Rose Club—Miriam Temple No. 2, Daughters of the Nile, White Rose Club, held their business meeting at Mrs. Walter Loney's home, 1566 North Hampshire Road. The ladies of the club were delighted with the results of their bazaar, passing a very appreciative vote of thanks to the press and gave great credit and thanks to the presiding officer of the club, Mrs. S. R. Roberts, 321 Mitchell Street, for uniting faithful work and to each and all who in any way helped to make the bazaar the success it was.

Kumtuku Club—The Kumtuku Club will meet for its fortnightly luncheon in the private dining-room at David Spence's Ltd., Monday, November 12, at 12 o'clock, when Miss Snyder will be the speaker, giving an account of her recent visit to the Kumtuku Club of Seattle.

IN WOMAN'S DOMAIN



Mr. C. H. Dickie, M.P., was in the city yesterday from Duncan.

Mr. Percy Pittman is progressing favorably after undergoing an operation at St. Joseph's Hospital.

Mr. Govenious, of Seattle, is spending a few weeks holiday in Victoria as the guest of Mrs. Steele, Princess Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Barnacle, late of the University School, Victoria, have proceeded to London, England, after holidaying at the West Indies.

Mr. D. E. Bankart, of Montreal, has arrived in Victoria for the Edgar Bankart wedding, which is to take place on November 20.

Miss Lottie Garvin, of Vancouver, arrived in Victoria to-day for an extended visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Garvin, Oak Bay Avenue.

Mr. George Bushby of Prince Rupert arrived in Victoria from his trip to California, to join his family, who are spending the winter here.

Mrs. Marpole, of Crofton, is visiting in Victoria as the guest of her parents, Colonel and Mrs. J. G. Holmes, Carberry Gardens, prior to leaving on a trip to England.

Mrs. Wilfred Stoeser entertained in Vancouver on Thursday afternoon at a bridge tea in honor of Miss Totie Day. Mrs. Murray Lay presided at the tea table.

Mrs. Edwards, who has been spending the past few months in Victoria with her mother, Mrs. H. Ulin, Rockland Avenue, is leaving to-morrow for California, where she will join her husband.

Yesterday afternoon at her home on Macleod Street, Miss Lillian Michaelis entertained at a bridge party in honor of Mrs. Edwards, who is leaving to-morrow to join Mr. Edwards in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Taylor, of Oak Bay, accompanied by their son Alvin, left this afternoon for Vancouver en route for Fresno and Mrs. Taylor will visit relatives. They expect to return to Victoria in February.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wood announce the engagement of their elder daughter, Margaret Adams, to John Thomson, third son of Mr. Thomson and Mrs. John Oliver, the wedding to take place early in December.

Mrs. J. B. Mercer, Fairfield Road, entertained a few guests at the tea hour at her home on Fairfield Road, on Wednesday afternoon, among them being Mrs. J. B. Mercer, Mrs. H. H. Hemmick, Mrs. McLennan, Mrs. Duke, Mrs. Caverhill, Mrs. H. J. Scott and Mrs. W. B. Monteith.

Mrs. Forrest Angus entertained a large number of guests yesterday afternoon at tea at her home on St. Patrick Street, and was assisted at the tea hour by Lady Lake, Mrs. Ashworth, Mrs. Andros, Mrs. W. P. Walker, Miss Angus, Miss Lucy Angus and Miss Adair.

Many residents of Esquimalt will be interested to learn of the birth of a son at Blackheath, near London, to Lieut. and Mrs. Wallace Creery, who left Esquimalt some time ago for England. Lieut. Creery is taking a course of study at the Naval College, Greenwich.

A Sale of Work and Home Cooking will be held by the ladies of the New Housewives' Club this afternoon, at 1311 Douglas Street. Stalls of useful articles suitable for Christmas presents, also novelties and special attractions for the children. Afternoon tea will be served.

Last evening Miss Galletly and Mrs. John Irving entertained at the home of the former on Beach Drive with three tables of bridge and two of mah jong. Among the guests were Mrs. Fagan, Mrs. Hedley, Mrs. Heyland, Mrs. Gilmour, Mrs. Dean, Mrs. Oliver, Mrs. Code, Mrs. Phipps, Mrs. Grierson, Mrs. A. J. Fraser, Miss Stevens, Miss Heyland, Miss Angus, Miss Amy Angus, Miss Mary Lawton, Miss Tate, Miss Adair and Miss Schwartz.

YOUR HOME AND YOU
By HELEN KENDALL
Interruptions

"Oh, dear! There goes that telephone again! I've had nothing but interruptions all morning long. How can I get anything done?" And the young housewife impatiently took up the receiver.

Her annoyed "Hello" was followed by a distinct change of tone, as she graciously accepted an invitation to join the theatre party—the next week.

From the deep chair by the window, where she sat sewing, the young housewife's wife, sympathetic "mother" spoke.

"If I were you, I'd worry myself into a fever over these interruptions. Life is just one interruption after another, when you come to think of it. Unless you are sitting down absolutely nothing, every ring of the telephone every knock on the door, every call of a friend is an interruption. Sometimes these interruptions seem

An enjoyable time was spent at the home of Mrs. D. Griffiths, 1413 Pembroke Street, Friday evening in honor of her son's thirteenth birthday.

Dr. A. H. Tanner, 1524 Gladstone Avenue, announces the engagement of his daughter, Dr. Dora Beatrice, of San Francisco, California, to Dr. Varon F. Smith, of Los Angeles, California. The marriage is to take place in December.

Mr. Grant Hahood, well-known northern mining operator, was in the city yesterday. He is president of the International Miners' Association, which is closely associated with the American Mining and Milling Co., owners of a number of mining properties.

Mrs. D. Ramsay, 2888 Holland Rd., entertained the Ladies of St. Mary's Guild to a delightful afternoon tea in honor of Mrs. T. Morris, an old and faithful worker for the guild, who left Thursday night to join her husband in California. Rev. Mr. Pederson, in a very appropriate address, presented Mrs. Morris with a beautiful handbag, a gift from the ladies, showing the great esteem in which she was held. Being a native daughter, Mrs. Morris will be greatly missed by a large circle of friends who all join in wishing her every happiness in her new home.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Walter Ford and Mrs. Ernest Albutt were joint hostesses at a delightful afternoon tea at the former's home, "Fairfax," Estevan Avenue. Chrysanthemums were used throughout in decorating the room, the colors being in keeping with the season. During the afternoon vocal solos were rendered by Mesdames Foulkes and S. V. Bowers, also piano solos and duets by the Misses C. Albutt, E. Carruthers and Mrs. C. A. Gardner. Mrs. Gardner also accompanied the soloists in a very capable manner. Among those present were Mesdames F. Wright, Warder, F. Jones, R. G. Thomson, C. A. Gardner, R. Taylor, Winterbottom, Mr. R. Russell, Dodds, Bing, S. V. Bowers, G. Hartley, Francis, A. W. Elliott, Sledge, A. Mallett, Keeler, G. Merryfield, Foulkes, Middleton, Walsh and C. McNell, and the Misses Taylor, Miller, C. Albutt and E. Carruthers. Dainty refreshments were served. Mrs. R. Taylor pouring tea.

GONE TO ENGLAND



MRS. JEAN MULDREW

of Ottawa, who is well known in Victoria and has long been engaged in public work throughout the Dominion, has been called to the attention of the position of supervisor of the women's work in connection with the Department of Immigration and Colonization in the British Isles. During the war Mrs. Muldrew was connected with the office of the food Controller, and visited Victoria when she addressed gatherings of women in the interest of food conservation. Later she was attached to the Soldiers' Settlement Board, when she was placed in charge of the household branch of that work where she rendered excellent service. Her daughter has accompanied her to England.

QUAINT GOWNS TO BE WORN AT B.C.'S BIRTHDAY BALL

Children and Adults to Celebrate Historic Anniversary Monday

The grand carnival ball and children's fancy dress party to be held at the Empress Hotel on Monday evening, under the auspices of the Lady Douglas Chapter, I.O.D.E., commemorating the sixty-fifth birthday of British Columbia and the opening of the first legislature on November 19, 1858, promises to be an outstanding social event in the history of the city. "To keep one hand on the traditions of the past and green the memory of our illustrious dead" is the motto of the chapter, which has done much to stimulate public interest in these important anniversaries and honor the memory of those splendid pioneers like Douglas, Helmcken, Finlayson, Simpson and many others, who contributed largely to the building up of this glorious northwest Province.

That sons and daughters of all ages in Victoria, either by birth or adoption, may participate in the celebration, the affair will begin with a children's fancy dress party from 7 to 9 o'clock, during which children at intervals will give an exhibition of fancy dancing. The Battle of Flowers will prove an exciting time for the little tots who will carry baskets, kindly loaned for the occasion by the Red Cross workshops, filled with petals and roses ready for the battle. Following this, the children will assemble for the Grand March, after which they will be led by the Piped Piper of Hamelin with his silver flute, into the large dining-room for supper. Parents and guardians of children who will not be remaining for the late ball will be admitted into the ball-room during the children's dance at a nominal charge.

The carnival period will begin at 9 o'clock, when the grown-ups will take the floor. Both the modern and old-fashioned dances will be requested have a place on the programme, including the old-time lancers, several sets of which have already been arranged by Mrs. George Simpson, with the ladies dressed in hooped dresses of the period. The cotillion directed by Mrs. W. H. Wilson, will be of special interest, and danced by the following ladies: Mrs. W. H. Wilson, Mrs. W. H. Munroe, Miss Kitty Jaffray, Miss Frances Jaffray, Miss Jean Coddington, Miss Beatrice Macdonald, Miss Margaret Chapin and Miss Gladys McMillan.

Turner's orchestra will provide the latest dance hits, and prizes for both the children's and adults' dances for the best fancy dress and best historical costume will be given. The ballroom will be beautifully decorated, and the private dining-room will be reserved for those who play cards.

Refreshments will be served at special rates in the ball-room.

Visitors will be gladly welcomed, and tickets may be had at the Empress Hotel.

The patrons include the Lieutenant-Governor, who hopes to be present, Senator and Mrs. R. F. Green, Premier and Mrs. Oliver and Mayor and Mrs. Hayward. Mr. George Bushby will be master of ceremonies.

Staff of Spencer's, Ltd., to Hold Big Jubilee Party

In commemoration of the golden jubilee of David Spencer, Ltd., the staff will hold a dance and card party at the Empress Hotel on Tuesday, December 4. Under the general supervision of the staff, a number of strong committees have been appointed to make the necessary arrangements, and the preparations are already well in hand to ensure that the success of the undertaking will be commensurate with the importance of the anniversary.

Ozard's orchestra has been engaged, and dancing will be from 9 until 12 p.m. Cards will be arranged for those who prefer this form of entertainment. Tickets for the affair are obtainable of members of the staff.

St. John's Sale of Work—St. John's Ladies' Guild annual sale of work on Wednesday was opened by Mrs. (Capt.) J. H. Gillespie. Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick, pastor of St. John's, introduced Mrs. Gillespie in a few appropriate words as a daughter of one of the oldest of St. John's dearly loved and highly respected members. Mrs. J. H. Gillespie, in a pleasing manner thanked the ladies for the honor given her in opening the sale. She congratulated Mrs. Townsley, the president, and the Ladies of St. John's Guild upon their faithful work and upon the splendid display of beautiful and useful work, and wished them all success. Miss Betty Chadwick presented Mrs. Gillespie with a lovely bouquet of flowers. Much business was done at the following stalls: Fancy work, Mrs. Riddout, Mrs. Cullen; aprons, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Niblock; novelties, Mrs. Fulton, Mrs. Nesbit and Miss Hall; home cooking, Mrs. R. H. Walker; Mrs. Geo. Jay, Mrs. Geo. Morrison; candy, Miss J. D. Gillespie; and Jenny, Mrs. Loris Stemer and Mrs. Homer; afternoon tea, Mrs. Fuller; Miss Pardee, Mrs. Richards, Mrs. Sand and Mrs. Martin.

Church Tea Realized \$60—The success attending the combined afternoon tea and sale of home cooking and candy held on Thursday afternoon, and convened by the Ladies' Aid of Holywood Presbyterian Sunday School, surpassed all expectations, the sum of \$60 being realized. The hall was artistically decorated with bronze and yellow chrysanthemums. Vocal solos were rendered by Mrs. Grant and Mrs. Bain, and a recitation was given by Mrs. Dickson.

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Social Service Has Opened Confidential Exchange in City

Through the efforts of the Social Service League of Victoria a confidential exchange has been established in this city, the object of which is to prevent overlapping in charitable and benevolent work and so to conserve the energy and funds of the various organizations affiliating with it.

Such an exchange is proving its value in Vancouver, the following extract from a recent letter from the secretary there should be of interest:

"Enclosed you will find complete list of agencies using this exchange. Some of them are infrequent inquirers, others use it at Christmas mostly, but nearly fifty per cent. of them are enthusiastic and regular correspondents. It is encouraging to hear their exclamations of surprise over the phone when I furnish them with information which they apparently do not expect. One inquirer gave me three names over the phone yesterday but did not think I would have any record of them. I had records of all three, one of them having been known to five other agencies. Her comment was, 'Well, now isn't that most extraordinary!' 'I don't know what her special reason was for thinking it so, but appar-

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NEWS IN BRIEF

Plans for the war memorial park
and granite cross to be constructed
at Esquimalt are being drawn up by
H. Savage, architect.

A meeting of the board of directors
of the Grand Army of United Veter-
ans will be held in the club head-
quarters, 1319 Government Street, on
Monday at 8.30 p. m.

A Rummage Sale will be held at
753 Port Street, near Blanchard, on
Saturday, November 24. Friends
wishing to contribute please phone
Mrs. Bonavia, 908 R. or Mrs. Frane
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Society.

Small boys playing with miniature
rifles within the city limits felt foot
of the police yesterday. The result
came when a constable confiscated a
22 calibre rifle. Charges will follow
in the Juvenile Court.

The public works committee of the
City Council yesterday afternoon ap-
proved the final payment to the Cot-
ton Company for paving operations
on the west side of the bridge, fin-
ishing the section of the roadway un-
der the arch.

Efforts will be made by the civic
authorities, it was decided by the
public works committee yesterday, to
secure from owners sufficient land to
round off the corners of Rockland
Avenue and Pemberton Road, Port
Street and Pemberton Road, and Pan-
dora Avenue and Fernwood Road.

The Centennial Young People's So-
ciety is staging a very successful
membership drive. Miss Lillian North-
am is leading those canvassing new
members. On Monday night Ira Dil-
worth will speak on the subject
"The Use and Abuse of the English
Language" under the auspices of the
educational department of the so-
ciety.

Dramatic Recital — On Monday
evening, November 19, at eight o'clock
Mrs. Bebe Ross will give a recital of
dramatic readings in the Victoria
Club, Campbell Building. Mrs. Ross
has recently come to reside in this
city. Miss Boushar will give some
instrumental music and Mrs. Ayton
and Mrs. Hole some vocal selections.
The recital is open to the public
without charge.

The Public Works Committee of
the City Council yesterday tabled a
list of tenders for altering one scow
and building another scow, as it was
desired to get some additional data
as to the character of the scow pro-
posed to be altered, and which has
been used in connection with the
building of the Johnson Street
bridge. The scows are for the gar-
bage department service.

After hearing a report from Mayor
Hayward with regard to the negotia-
tions for the Amusement Centre,
along the levee of the statement in
The Times yesterday, the public
works committee of the council yes-
terday afternoon authorized the city
engineer to prepare the necessary
agreement and by-laws, to be sub-
mitted to the council for approval at
a special meeting next week.

Alleging that he had received a
sudden blow in the dark which closed
his left eye with painful results,
Gee On Chow, Chinaman, appeared
in the City Police Court to-day hold-
ing Sim Lee, compatriot, the author
of his injuries. Sim Lee pleaded ig-
norance of the assault and was re-
manded until Wednesday, when
counsel will appear in his defence.
The accused was released on \$100
bail.

Frank Day, of The Times engraving
department; J. W. Gibson, direc-
tor of agricultural education; Magis-
trate George Jay, chairman of the
School Board, and Boyd McGill, ar-
tist, started work to-day as the
judges in the bungalow painting com-
petition being held here by the
Canadian Club and the Women's
Club. The competition has been con-
ducted through the city schools and
cash prizes are being given to the
best work turned in. The results of
the competition will be announced
next week.

The part played by the public of
Victoria in attending the University
of B. C. extension lectures here, by
outlined last night by Dean H. J.
Coleman, member of that Faculty, in
addressing a gathering on "The New
Psychology" at Victoria College.
Victoria was among the first cities to
ask for a series of extension lectures,
he said, and the results of this ex-
periment would be examined with
interest in all parts of the Dominion.
Victoria was unique, said the Dean,
in that a number of organizations had
banded themselves together as-
suring a steady attendance, and then
had asked for lectures.

The sick committee of the Grand
Army of United Veterans visited the
ex-service inmates in St. Joseph's
and the Jubilee Hospitals on Wed-
nesday and Thursday evenings. A
pronounced increase of patients was
noticeable in the Jubilee Hospital.
Smokes and other comforts were
acknowledged with appreciation.
There is a call for magazines. Sec-
retary Howard will be pleased to re-
ceive donations of these from readers
who have finished with them, and
will see that they are promptly for-
warded to the patients with the com-
pliments of the donors. Parcels may
be left at the headquarters of the
Grand Army of United Veterans,
1319 Government Street.

Presentation to Member—At the
regular business meeting of the Es-
quimalt Scottish Daughters, held at
the Rex Theatre last evening, a pre-
sentation was made to one of the

HUSBAND THANKS BOARD

"I am writing to thank you and
the nurses of the Strathcona Ward
for the care and attention my
wife received during her stay at
the Jubilee Hospital. I am sure
the wonderful efficiency and
cheerfulness of everybody who
looked after her were responsible
for bringing her through her re-
cent illness."

From a letter to the Jubilee
Hospital Board dated March 15.

Times Classified Advt. Soon Sold Piano

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appeared in a recent issue of The
Times and before 8 o'clock of the
same day the piano was sold. Why
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members, Mrs. Wilson, who is leav-
ing Esquimalt to join her husband
in California where they will make
their home. A donation of \$5 was
made to the Brownie pack which
has recently organized. A
hearty vote of thanks was offered
to Mrs. J. Nicol for the use of her
home for a whist drive for the bene-
fit of the funds of the League. On
the conclusion of the business
meeting many guests arrived to take
part in a very enjoyable dance con-
ducted by Mrs. Craigdallie and Mrs.
McVie. Findler's Orchestra supplied
the music and Mr. Nicol was master
of ceremonies. A progressive 500
being arranged for the next meet-
ing.

Madame Sanderson-Mongin, teacher
of French at the Victoria College,
who recently returned from a three-
months' visit to Europe, will speak
before the Women's Canadian Club
on Tuesday at 3.15. Her subject will
be "Contrasts and Comparisons."
Miss Lois Lockwood will be the solo-
ist.

The visits of Victoria school chil-
dren to local industries which have
been arranged for Friday afternoons
did not take place yesterday, as ar-
rangements could not be concluded in
time after the last was submitted.
The inspections will be resumed on
Friday next.

The clauses dealing with the church
sites exemption, as suggested to the
City Council and embodied in the
City's private bill, to be considered by
the Legislature next week, will have
to be remodelled to comply with the
Land Registry Act. This situation
became clear after city solicitor
Pringle had a consultation yesterday
with the registrar-general of titles.

A public meeting for the purpose
of organizing a local branch of the
League of Nations Society of Canada,
of which Sir George Foster is the
head, will be held in the Chamber of
Commerce auditorium on Tuesday
evening at 8 p.m. This meeting is
called under the joint auspices of
the Canadian Club and the Women's
Club, and it is hoped that all
those who listened with such inter-
est to Sir George's stirring appeal
a few months ago will attend Tues-
day's meeting and help the move-
ment for world peace along.

EVENTS TO COME

On Monday evening at 8 o'clock
at the Zeiter Rooms the first
assembly of the Overseas League
Bridge Club will take place. Mem-
bers may fetch friends, and mah jong
tables in progress as well as bridge.
Those attending are to fetch their
own cards, mah jong sets and score
cards.

The Junior Institute Club, of Keat-
ing, will hold a concert and dance in
the Temperance Hall, on Friday eve-
ning, November 23, at 8 o'clock.
The West-Enders, from Esqui-
malta, will perform, so a good
entertainment is assured—all who
attend.

The ladies of St. Martin's Guild
will hold an apron sale, also sale of
home cooking in the church, Obed
Avenue, on Wednesday, December 5,
at 2.30 p.m.

A regular meeting of the United
Brotherhood of Carpenters and
Joiners of America will be held on
Monday, November 19, at 8 p.m. in
the Labor Hall.

A meeting of the executive coun-
cil of the Canadian Legion will take
place on Monday next, November 19,
at 8 o'clock. The general meeting of
members will take place on Wednes-
day, November 21.

A sale of work will be held in the
social hall of Wesley Methodist
Church on Wednesday next, Novem-
ber 21.

The St. Paul's Tennis Club, Esqui-
malta, announces its first dance, to
take place at the Rex Theatre on
Wednesday, November 21, at 8.30.
Heaton's orchestra has been engaged.
Refreshments will be provided.

The Child Hygiene Council will
hold a whist drive at the parish room
at St. Paul's, Esquimalt, on Monday
next at 8 p.m.

The regular monthly meeting of the
Highland Society is to be held in the
Orange Hall, Courtney Street, on
Wednesday, November 21, at 8 p.m.,
to be followed by a social and dance.

The Rev. J. Williams Ogden, of
Vancouver, will give a lecture illus-
trated by 120 lantern slides, in the
auditorium of the St. Andrew's Pres-
byterian Church on Thursday even-
ing, November 22, commencing at 8
o'clock. This lecture is a continua-
tion of one given by Mr. Ogden in
October in which "Pompeii" was
the subject. The lecture now takes
up the journey "From Italy, Through
Egypt to Australia." Tickets may be
obtained from the following: Mutrie's
Book Store, F. Francis, Weller Bros.,
Little & Taylor, and from any mem-
ber of the choir.

EXCHANGE STRONGER

Bucharest, Nov. 17.—Large pur-
chases of lumber in Rumania by
Japan have partially been respon-
sible for an important rise in the cur-
rency.

TO BUILD ANGLICAN CHURCH AT LANGFORD

Architect H. K. Spurgin Calls
For Tenders

Tenders are called for by the ar-
chitect, H. K. Spurgin, for a new
Anglican Church to be erected at
Langford. It will be a small coun-
try church, costing in the neigh-
hood of from \$2,000 to \$2,500, shingled
outside and with a V joint finished
interior. It will have leaded light
windows. The owners will install a
pipeless furnace after erection. The
church will have a seating capacity
of seventy-five people.

OBITUARY

The death took place Thursday morn-
ing, at St. Joseph's Hospital, of John
William Sadler, beloved husband of
Mrs. Jessie Sadler, of Gordon Head, aged
58 years. He was born in Green Gate,
Salford, Lancashire, England, and had
been a resident of this city for many
years. He is survived by his widow,
an adopted son at home and two sisters
in Lancashire, England. The remains
will repose at the Sands Funeral Chapel
until Saturday at 2 o'clock, when the
casket will be removed to St. Luke's
Church, Cedar Hill, where service will
be conducted at 3 o'clock by Rev. Wil-
liam Carroll, and the remains will be
laid to rest in St. Luke's Cemetery.

The death occurred yesterday at
St. Joseph's Hospital of Mrs. Elizabeth
McLellan, aged 54 years, widow of Fred
R. McLellan. The late Mrs. McLellan
was born in Ireland and came to Vic-
toria in 1886. She is survived by six
sons and one daughter, John A. Joseph
D., Peter S., Thomas, Fred A., Mc-
Lellan, and Mrs. M. Blower; also eleven
grandchildren. The remains are re-
posing at the Sands Funeral Chapel and
arrangements will be announced later.

Service was held Thursday afternoon
at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625
Quadra Street, at 1 o'clock, for the late
Mrs. Margaret Merril, nee
W. P. Freeman, B.A., of the First Bap-
tist church, conducted a very impres-
sive service. The hymn sung was
"Forever With the Lord." There were
many old-time friends present and many
beautiful floral tributes covered the
casket. After the service the remains
were forwarded on the afternoon boat
to Vancouver, en route for the
Manitoba, where the remains will be
laid to rest in the family plot. With Mr.
Merril accompanied the remains East.
The following acted as pallbearers: Lu-
is W. Russell, Messrs. E. Himsley, A. Gal-
braith, W. H. Spofford and A. B. Mc-
Neill.

The funeral of Baby Stewart took
place Thursday afternoon from the
residence of the parents at 130
Crossroad at 1.30, proceeding to Holy
Trinity Church, where Rev. W. M.
Hughes conducted a large and beau-
tiful service in the presence of a large
gathering of friends and a profession of
faith was read. The casket was
completely covered with a profusion of
beautiful flowers. The hymns sung were
"Tender Shepherd, Thou art Still,"
and "There is a Friend for Little Chil-
dren." Interment was made at Patricia
Bay Cemetery.

Service over the remains of the late
James Simpson was conducted Thurs-
day afternoon at 2 o'clock in the chapel of
the B.C. Funeral Company by the Rev.
Dr. Day. There was a large attend-
ance of friends and many beautiful
offerings covered the casket and hearse.
The hymns sung were "Abide With Me,"
and "Lead, Kindly Light." The follow-
ing acted as pallbearers: Messrs. Rich-
ard Simpson, Robert Simpson, Charles
Simpson, G. Heineke, T. Duffie and F.
Laitton. The remains were laid to rest
at Ross Bay Cemetery.

The death occurred yesterday at St.
Joseph's Hospital of Walter Cullen,
aged twenty years. The deceased was
born in Duluth, Minn., and came to
Victoria with his parents sixteen years
ago. He has lived at Gordon Head for
the past five years. The deceased leaves
to mourn his loss, besides his mother
and step-father, three sisters and two
brothers. The funeral will take place
on Tuesday, Nov. 20, at 2 o'clock, from
the Sands Funeral Parlors, with the
Rev. M. McKee officiating. Interment
will be made in St. Luke's Cemetery,
Cedar Hill.

The funeral of the late Wm. John
Kiddell took place yesterday after-
noon from the B.C. Funeral Chapel,
proceeding to St. Mary's Church,
where service was conducted at two
o'clock by Rev. G. H. Andrews, as-
sisted by Canon C. F. L. Money. There
was a very large attendance and the
casket and hearse were com-
pletely covered with many beautiful
floral tributes. The hymns sung were
"On the Resurrection Morn'g" and
"Now the Laborer's Task is O'er."
The following acted as pallbearers:
P. Woster, E. Dawson, F. Saunders,
F. Lock, W. Edwards and R. L. Cull.
There was a delegation from the
Army and Navy Veterans, composed
of C. F. L. Money, H. G. Savage, W.
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Edwards and Mr. MacLennan. In-
terment was made at Ross Bay Cem-
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TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, November 17, 1898.

The B. C. Electric Railway Co. announces that the business of the
company in Vancouver and Victoria has doubled in the past year.

Mr. Hewitt Bostock addressed a large audience in the Theatre Royal,
Barkerville, on Thursday, November 17. The work of the Liberal party
during the last two years was reviewed, and Mr. Bostock was frequently
applauded.

An investigation by Judge Eli Harrison into the cause of the fire at
New Westminster has been ordered by the Government.

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residence.

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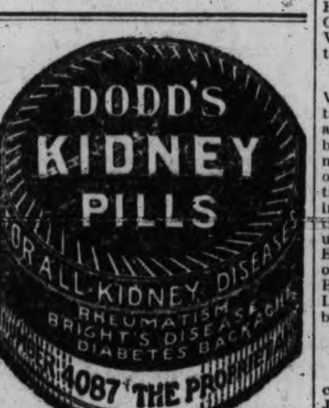
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HOCKEY. FOOTBALL. TIMES SPORTING NEWS. BASKETBALL. RUGBY.

Cougars Dazzle Fans And Maroons By Their Play And Win Easily

Blue and Gold Sextette Galloped About Ice in Sparkling Manner Last Night and Only Superb Work of "Eagle-eye" Lehman Blocked Victoria From Putting Score in Clouds; Team Showed Well in Opening Game of Season and Delighted Fans

Displaying a dash and determination seldom evident in a team so early in the season and uncorking bursts of speed that at times had the Vancouver defence bewildered and nonplussed the Cougars swept through to victory in their opening game of the season at the arena last night. There was absolutely no question as to the superiority of the blue and gold sextette. They won because they had the best team on the ice and to that one and only "eagle-eye," Hughie Lehman, must go the thanks of the Vancouver clan for keeping the score as low as five goals to one.

Over 3,000 fans watched the performance, and it is doubtful if there was one solitary individual who was not pleased with the showing of the Cougars. It was great delight to see in action the boys who have been expected to try and bring the championship to Victoria this year. They lived up to every scrap of advance hope that had been peddled about them.

From the first toot of the whistle the Cougars kept up a fast pace. They raced in and out and when they were tired came off and took a breather.

And when the subs went on the pace did not slow up, and Vancouver never had a chance to catch its breath between the attacks. The reason the Cougars could maintain this hot pace was due to the quality of their subs. Last year there was always a feeling of anxiety when Lester Patrick ordered his reserves over the side to relieve the regulars, but that cloud of gloom can be blown away this winter, because the Cougars have good men in their second line of benches.

HELT MACKAY'S ABSENCE

Vancouver played hard and tried desperately to make the game look even, but they were minus the services of Mackay, the light-flying Scot, and any time Mickey is absent there is left a gap that the Maroons cannot fill.

Art Duncan, skipper of the Maroons, did his best with the rest of his team and inserted Charlie Costen, the Sarnia lad, into the hole at left wing and called back Cook to left defence. This left Joe Mattie available for substitute work, and he fitted in during the evening on both the defence and the forward line, and tagged the only play of the Maroons during the evening.

Yards of copy have been written about the Duncan-Cook combination being the greatest defence in hockey, but last night it was made to look porous by the headliness and fury of the Cougars' attack. Gibson, Fredrickson and Halderon continually opened up this famous defence as if they had been equipped with can-openers. Gibson, particularly, was in on top of Lehman continually, and early in the game he was able to prevent the new-comer from finding the net.

MADE COUGARS LOOK BELLE

The absence of Mackay worked greatly to the advantage of the Cougars. They hadn't this whirlwind to harry, and as a result were able to pay more attention to their own offensive. Any time Mackay is on the ice the opposing defence must be careful because he skates fast, is tricky and is a dangerous on-ice rusher. His absence was a great blow to the Maroons, and weakened them probably more than most fans thought.

But even had the redoubtable Mickey been on the job it is doubtful if he could have prevented the Cougars from winning. His hook back might have broken down on rushes, but at his best he could have taken care of but one man, while last night the Cougars had three good men going on every end of the ice. The ability of Gibson to keep back with Fredrickson gave the locals an extremely dangerous pair, and when they linked up with Halderon, Meeking, Anderson or Hart they formed a combination that the Maroons seemed helpless to fathom. The Cougars mixed their stuff so well that the Vancouver defence does not know what to expect. They faked passes and went through, and when the Maroons set themselves for this play the next time they passed the puck, and even in the goal-mouth with Lehman apparently beaten, they persisted in making the job all the more difficult for him by passing of it. It proved that the heads of the Cougars were quite clear at close quarters. Gibson appeared to shine most brilliantly in front of the nets, being as cool as the evening was.

VERY OPEN GAME

The game was extremely open and the play ranged from end to end with great rapidity. The two-man rushes, which led the Cougars into the play off last year, were missing last night, and three went in every time. The Cougars played with a confidence in their defence, and this faith was born out when most of the Maroons' rushes crashed head-on into the stubborn and relentless arms and bodies of Clem Loughlin and "Slim" Halderon.

The centre of attraction, Jimmy Gibson, made himself solid with the fans by his splendid work. He showed a disposition to couple up with the rest of the boys in teamwork, and the speed of his shot and the menacing and it gave as it smashed into Lehman's pads augurs well for the success of Jimmy in coast company.

WELL DONE JOCKO

While Halderon, Fredrickson, Fowler, Gibson, Meeking and Loughlin did their work in a most pleasing manner and showed that they have lost none of their cunning, the tireless activities of Jocko Anderson undoubtedly proved the most popular piece of the evening. Jocko is about the nearest thing to perpetual motion that has come to the arena for many a day. He seemed to have trouble getting started in the first period and slipped a bit, but in the final two

University Boys Trounce Oak Bay High School, 15-0

Mount Talmie Crew Proves Too Fast For Opponents in School League

The University School senior rugby fifteen yesterday defeated the Oak Bay High School squad by a score of 15-0. Although the victorious crew put up a good battle and, on the whole, their team was working in excellent combination, they showed evidence of lack of practice in their kicking. They made five scores, but gained their points through the lines alone, not one of the converting kicks resulting in an additional point.

The Oak Bay boys worked hard to stem the rushing tide of their opponents, but they put up a defence which lacked its usual determination. They have been playing games lately about three times a week, and the Thompson cup elimination series with the Victoria High School has drained the boys of a good deal of their stamina.

For the University School Cabeldu, Graham, Stevens and Percy were the outstanding figures. Cabeldu showed brilliance in his speedy wing rushes; Graham, the elongated red-topped forward, was a veritable beacon light in the stormiest plays; the entire three-quarter line showed pluck, speed and accuracy in all their plays. Little less can be said of the forwards.

BAYS TRIED HARD

Oak Bay's best results were gained through the efforts of their back division, in which Willis, as usual, was the outstanding figure. Goodacre and Miller also played with fine determination, the former proving precise and dependable in his kicking, and the latter being noticeable for his rushes and defence work.

In the second half of the game, when the crew from Mount Talmie already crossed the Oak Bay line twice, and this in the previous half, Oak Bay played its hardest. But they were outclassed in the loose scrum, and as a result the university three-quarter line showed pluck, speed and accuracy in all their plays. Little less can be said of the forwards.

Meeking scores first. The game was only five minutes old when Meeking hoisted the puck into the net. He was assisted by Gibson and Fredrickson.

Before the period ended Halderon showed the fans that he had learned how to pilot the puck through a clogged defence and ultimately defeat the goal. He staged a beautiful end-to-end rush and set the rubber to rest behind Hughie.

SECOND PERIOD SCORELESS

Neither team scored in the second period although there was a lot of hard play. Skinner was peppering in some hot ones from the right side, but the Cougars' defence held firm. Boucher was not as effective as usual, but Gatch turned in some useful work. The whole Victoria team was driving in hard shots. Clem Loughlin figuring some speedy rushes, while Fredrickson was the centre of many combination attacks.

Anderson gave the fans a chance to shout right after the third period opened when he beat Lehman to the puck and scored. Seven minutes later the husky Vancouver defence pair, Duncan and Mattie, whirled through for a goal, Duncan making the opening and Joe capitalizing it.

With time rapidly drawing to a close and many of the fans heading for the cars the Cougars pulled some lightning work which was a feature of the evening. They were irresistible and while they only collected two goals they were in on top of Lehman continually. Fredrickson scored the first on a pass from Loughlin. It was a case of snappy passing in the goal-mouth. A similar play in which Hart coupled with "Freddie" twenty-five seconds later resulted in the Cougars scoring again. Hart making the shot.

THE TEAMS WERE:

Victoria	Position	Vancouver
Powell	Goal	Lehman
Loughlin	Defence	Duncan
Gibson	Defence	Cook
Gibson	L. Wing	Cotch
Fredrickson	Centre	Boucher
Meeking	R. Wing	Skinner
Anderson	Sub	Parke
Hart	Sub	Mattie
Hart	Sub	Bostrum

SUMMARY

First period—1, Victoria, Meeking, unassisted, 5:12; 2, Victoria, Halderon, unassisted, 13:28. Second period—0. Third period—3, Victoria, Anderson, unassisted, 1:20; 4, Vancouver, Mattie, from Duncan, 7:35; 5, Victoria, Fredrickson from Loughlin, 9:25; 6, Victoria, Hart from Fredrickson, 25 seconds.

PENALTIES

First period—Cotch, 2 min.; Meeking, 2 min. Second period—Cook, 2 min.; Hart, 2 min. Referee—Ion.

P.C.H.A. RECORDS

Team	W	L	D	F	A	Pts.
Seattle	2	0	0	10	8	4
Gibson	2	1	1	11	8	5
Vancouver	2	0	0	2	3	0

Individual Scores

Player	W	L	D	F	A	Pts.
Halderon, Victoria	3	0	0	3	6	6
Poynton, Seattle	3	0	0	3	0	0
Harris, Vancouver	2	1	0	3	0	0
Gibson, Victoria	2	1	0	3	0	0
Loughlin, Victoria	2	1	0	3	0	0
Ride, Seattle	2	0	0	2	6	6
Bridges, Seattle	2	0	0	2	0	0
Duncan, Vancouver	1	1	0	2	0	0
Fraser, Seattle	1	1	0	2	0	0
Anderson, Victoria	1	1	0	2	0	0
Meeking, Victoria	1	0	1	2	0	0
Hart, Victoria	1	0	1	2	0	0
Mattie, Vancouver	1	0	1	2	0	0
Cotch, Vancouver	1	0	1	2	0	0
Cook, Vancouver	0	0	0	4	0	0

Another Crack Horse Appears

SARAZEN WITH EARL SANDE



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Sarazen is unquestionably entitled to be classed as the best American two-year-old of the season. An easy victory over the unbeaten Happy Thoughts removed the only contender for the two-year-old title.

Sarazen is owned by Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt II, a new-comer in the racing game, and her colors are seen on Sarazen for the first time. It is rather remarkable that so great a horse should be her first colorbearer.

Ms. Vanderbilt purchased Sarazen at Saratoga Springs on August 30 for a price said to be in excess of \$30,000. At that time Sarazen had won three races, since then he has added seven more victories to his credit.

The gelding is by High Time, a son of Ultimous, out of Rush Box, which was sold at one time for only \$75.

BIT OF ROMANCE

There is a bit of romance in the breeding of Sarazen. Rush Box was a farmer's mare for twelve years and

occasionally saw service in the field, the plough and Rush Box being the best of terms. A far-sighted horseman purchased Rush Box, believing that possibly she might make a good brood mare. She is now earning fame as the dam of Sarazen, the unbeaten two-year-old.

As a two-year-old Sarazen has a record that compares most favorably with the remarkable performances of Man of War and Morvich. If the gelding can continue his great record as a three-year-old he may dim some of the feats of the great Man of War. Morvich, great as a two-year-old, was a big disappointment in the three-year-old class.

Sarazen as a two-year-old has made a much better record than Zev won up. Incidentally, he stands out as a two-year-old more than does Zev among the three-year-olds. He would Zev as a three-year-old, but there is no chance for him to develop into as great a money winner.

As a gelding Sarazen is ineligible for both of next year's Preakness and Belmont \$50,000 stakes. His only big chance will be in the Kentucky Derby, which is always worth \$50,000 or more.

Horse Shows to Be Revived on Wednesday Night

Victoria Riding Club to Stage Event at Willows; Indoor Polo Games

Much interest is being taken in the horse show which is to be staged at the Horse Show Building at the Willows, on Wednesday evening next, commencing at 8 o'clock. The show will be formally opened by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and it is expected that a large number of society folks will be in attendance.

This is the first time that the big building at the Willows has been used for a horse show since before the war. In those days some splendid shows were held and horseflesh from all parts of the Northwest came here to compete.

VANCOUVER HORSES COMING

It is not known at present what horses will enter the show, but a number of fine animals from Vancouver will be here as well as many local hunters and show horses.

The programme has been arranged and provides for a varied attraction. There will be plenty of opportunity to show off the ability of the ponies. One of the most exciting events will be the polo games between three teams. The Army has been drawn against the Navy in the first game and the winner will meet the Royal Canadian Mounted Police of Vancouver in the final struggle.

The programme will start off with musical chairs, the riders dismounting to take their seats when the music stops. Then there will be individual riding, including steeplechase, events for hunters, individual jumping, jumping in pairs and high jumping. The Corinthian class will also be in evidence and their will be school and horsemanship with the polo games rounding off the entertainment.

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CAPT. J. V. PERKS

who is a guiding light in the Senior Northwest Golfers' Association. The success of the recent tournament held here by the seniors was due in no small measure to the hard work of Capt. Perks, the secretary. The association showed its appreciation of his efforts by re-electing him to the post for another year. Capt. Perks is secretary of the Victoria Golf Club as well.

Queen's Ruggers

Anxious to Get Back to Studies

Kingston, Ont., Nov. 17.—The Queen's athletic board of control is not particular whether Regina rugby team, winners of the Western Canadian championship, come to play for the Dominion rugby championship. It was learned at the university yesterday that the Queen's players, if they defeat Hamilton in Kingston on Saturday, November 22, would be satisfied to hang up their uniforms and forget rugby until next season. The players are anxious to get back to a great deal of time into study this year and if they are going to pass their examinations they must get down to business.

Last year Queen's seniors played the Edmonton Eskimos at the Richardson Stadium, there was a \$4,300 gate and \$4,000 was handed over to the western champions, leaving a balance of \$300 to pay the referees and other expenses, which meant that Queen's lost about \$1,000. Queen's authorities are not inclined to make any guarantee to bring the western players east.

Teams Ready For

Opening Game in Hockey Tourney

Winnipeg, Nov. 17.—Both managers and all the players of the Calgary and Edmonton teams report themselves ready for the opening of the professional hockey tournament here to-night. The Edmonton team will trot out at full strength, while the Tigers will be minus Morris, who is laid up with a cold. Otherwise, Eddie Oatman will have all his regulars on deck.

Kenny McKenzie is immensely pleased with the showing of Johnny Sheppard and expects him to prove a sensation this season. The early form of the Eskimos is much better than last season, McKenzie said to-day. Oatman continues his good work with the Calgary Tigers and becomes more impressed with his material daily. He has instilled a lot of snappy work into the Bengal attack which, he claims, will make the team to beat for the league honors.

The Regina Capitals are training hard for Monday night's tilt with Ottawa. They are in remarkably fine condition despite the late arrival of some of them. Alex Irvin and Hughie Davidson, who played with the Capitals last season, are practicing with the Capitals to fill out two sides.

Park at the same time. This was impossible for him to do, as he had to be ready to leave at 10 o'clock to go to the afternoon game. If necessary, and there was no time to call a meeting and discuss the new order. The game was played, hundreds of people enjoyed themselves, and a meeting was held Monday night.

On Wednesday Mr. Cull's head was lopped off. Thus are the best interests of the game served by a vote written on while the Wednesday League has no representation, but which is practically run by the Saturday League.

One last point: Let it be clearly understood that the game at the Royal Athletic Park was not a representative city game, but merely a game between two Saturday players and a club from Vancouver, who had to be given \$125 to come here.

ORDERED TO CALL IT OFF

"So the game was arranged for Monday on Beacon Hill. The press published the new arrangement and all was well. Then on Saturday evening, after 5 o'clock, after all the players had made their arrangements to spend Monday afternoon at Beacon Hill, Mr. Cull received a hastily scribbled note ordering him to call off the Monday afternoon game because the Saturday League were staging a game at the Royal Athletic

Paris Now Planning Greatest Horse Race

Best Three-year-olds From Great Britain, France, Spain, Italy, Belgium and United States May Compete in Paris Next Spring For Purse of One Million Francs; Frenchman Will Visit America to Enlist Support

Paris, Nov. 17.—The winner of to-day's race at Churchill Downs between Zev and In Memoriam will be invited directly to participate in an international cup race to be held at Longchamp on May 2, next.

The race, in which it is hoped to have representatives of the British, United States, Spanish, Italian, Belgian and French turfs, will be for stakes of 1,000,000 francs over a one-mile and a quarter track.

The organizing committee, representing the Longchamp Racing Society and the newspaper Le Journal, acting under the auspices of a 40,000-attendee of France, reached its decision yesterday. With the exception of the United States the invitations will be sent to the jockey clubs of the various countries which will be asked to designate the best qualified horses of the stakes when converted into dollars or pounds, would make less of an impression in the United States and England.

SENIORS' SECRETARY

Pierre Wertheimer, the owner of Epinal, outstanding French three-year-old, has definitely agreed to enter his horse and is ready to make side bets with the American and British owners as, owing to the depreciation of the franc, the amount of the stakes when converted into dollars or pounds, would make less of an impression in the United States and England.

RICHEST PURSE

One million francs, however, is the largest stake ever disputed for in France, the Grand Prix de Paris, the richest fixture of the French turf, never having exceeded 600,000 francs. M. Wertheimer plans to sail for New York December 1, to get in touch with Harry F. Sinclair or Karl Wiedemann. In Memoriam's owner, depending upon which horse wins today, so as to settle the question of a side bet.

"I know that heavy expense is involved in shipping a valuable horse across the Atlantic," M. Wertheimer said last night.

"I also realize that 1,000,000 francs means only about \$60,000. I would like to make it interesting enough to insure participation of an American horse in the international race at Longchamps."

LOUISVILLE, KY., NOV. 17.—Kentucky, the home of the thoroughbred, became the centre of the nation's racing interest to-day for the second time in two weeks, with Zev, winner of the Kentucky derby, and conqueror of Papyrus, meeting in Memoriam, which a fortnight ago surprised the racing world as a defeat by six lengths in a mile and three-quarters race.

The match race between these rival three-year-olds will be at a mile and a quarter for a purse of \$50,000, with the prospect of a 40,000-attendance at the historical Churchill Downs course, provided weather conditions are favorable. The test is expected to be a close one, with Zev, who is racing since In Memoriam triumphed over Zev and My Own in the Latonia championship stakes two weeks ago.

ZEV TO BE FAVORITE

Turf experts figured that Zev, which has won eight of nine races since completing the Kentucky derby, lost only one, when he was beaten in the post a 3-to-5 favorite, while the price on In Memoriam, it was estimated, probably would be 8 to 5.

Considering the past performances of the two horses, the experts believe that no horse in American can match speed with Zev over one and one-quarter miles, which is regarded as his best distance. His remarkable speed will make his chance better for victory to-day over a shorter route than the race that resulted in his defeat.

Zev won the Kentucky derby over the same track and same distance as to-day's race in 2:05 2-5, his best time for a mile and one-quarter distance, while In Memoriam's best effort over the ten furlong route is 2:04 1-5, made last Summer when he won the Illinois derby at Chicago.

The two Jack's billiard tournament, which was held at the quarter miles at Churchill Downs is 2:03 2-5, made by Woodtrap, and the American record is 2:00.

Zev, when he lost to In Memoriam at Latonia, flashed a ten furlong long pole with a lead of two lengths in 2:08 1-5, which was 2 1-2 seconds slower than his time for the Kentucky derby. When he had to be shaken up a bit in the stretch to hold his lead.

TWO JACK'S BILLIARDS

In a very close game last night Colling (sch.) defeated Small (o. 100) in the two Jack's billiard tournament. At the end of the match only twenty-seven points separated the two players.

The draw for the semi-finals was made last night, and the following players will meet—Dyke (r. 50) vs. Richardson (r. 25) and Pickering (r. 25) vs. Colling (sch.).

FOOTBALL CLASSIC

Berkeley, Calif., Nov. 17.—On the eve of what promises to be a classic in Pacific Coast conference football this season, the undefeated teams of the University of Washington and the University of California have prepared to do battle here to-day.

Despite the success that Carl Mays has had as a pitcher he says he regrets that he didn't take up baseball instead. He has always been a first bag.

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BIG OFFER WAS MADE FOR SPRAG CLEGHORN

Montreal, Nov. 17.—The fact that Leo Dargaud and the Canadian team was offered \$3,500 by Harry Scott, representing the Calgary Tigers, for Sprague Cleghorn, last year's captain of the Canadians, was disclosed here yesterday. The offer was refused.

Sprague yesterday came to terms with Dargaud and was the first of last year's players to step in line. Whether or not he will again be captain of the Canadians will be determined when the team gets to Grimsby.

MUST HAVE BEER SALE TO SAVE LIQUOR ACT, IAN MACKENZIE WARNS

Urges Government to Provide Immediately For Local Option Referendum on Beer by Glass; Defends University Students in Reply to Hinchliffe Disloyalty Charges

The sooner British Columbia electors are given an opportunity to vote for the sale of beer by the glass in licensed establishments, the better, for present intolerable liquor conditions are wrecking the Government control system, Capt. Ian Mackenzie, Liberal member for Vancouver, warned the Legislature yesterday afternoon when he closed up the debate on the speech from the Throne.

"My views have been vindicated by present conditions," Capt. Mackenzie asserted, recalling that he had always favored free sale of beer. "I do not blame the Government nor the Attorney-General for these conditions. I don't believe for a second that the Attorney-General is to blame. I don't believe for a second that the municipalities are to blame. I believe that the blame lies inherently in the Act itself. Carrying out the old Liberal policy of trusting the people, I support a reference to the people of the question of the sale of malt liquor in licensed establishments."

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been here two years before I was honored by being sent to this House. To-day I am not so much a Scotsman as a Canadian.

"We have too much of this talk," Mr. Hinchliffe, referring again to the University students, said. "We should forget this spurious talk, this super-Englishism. While we believe in the principles of the British Empire, we believe, too, in a hundred per cent Canadianism in this land, which has been so kind to us. And until we have a true Canadian spirit in Canada we shall never realize the full destiny of Canadian nationhood," he declared, while his last words were almost drowned in applause.

GREAT WAR RECORD

"Now what do we find about loyalty of the University students?" Mr. Hinchliffe demanded. "When the war broke out and the registration of the University was some 800, the enrollment of men who had attended the University numbered 687. Of these 67 were killed. Among the decorations won by the University students were two distinguished Service Orders, forty-five Military Crosses, one Order of the British Empire, twenty-nine Military Medals, three Croix de Guerre and thirty students were mentioned in dispatches. Does that look like disloyalty?"

Mr. Hinchliffe, he declared, had seven times refused to debate the University matters. "I come here to-day with still another invitation," Captain Mackenzie went on, and then, leaning over his desk, and looking at Mr. Hinchliffe squarely in the eye, he added, in ringing tones: "I challenge him to meet me in debate on this issue on any platform in Vancouver! And though I am his veritable enemy, I will pay for the expense of the Hall."

Mr. Hinchliffe warmly applauded this statement but made no answer.

CAN BRING BOWSER

"If the Honorable Member does not feel qualified to meet me," Captain Mackenzie added, "Then I am willing that he should bring along his veritable enemy, the Leader of the Opposition, who must have authorized his statements."

"I shall take up the cudgel on behalf of the youth of this country and no jingoism is going to get us away from the proper training of that youth."

COMPLETE P. G. E.

The Pacific Great Eastern Railway should be built north to Prince George at the earliest possible moment, Capt. Mackenzie declared. Investigation, inquiries and allegations have almost ruined every possibility of success for the road," he asserted. "I get us down to business, instead of spending our time on these piecemeal charges and make this into a great colonization road." He urged, adding that, in his opinion, the line had been well conceived by Sir Richard McBride, with his excellent and broad vision. But for the war and the collapse of the Grand Trunk line, he said, British Columbia would not be facing the P.G.E. problem. It has on its hands to-day.

Capt. Mackenzie congratulated the Government on its decision to reduce the real and personal property tax. While he favored the abolition of the personal property tax, if this levy were abolished it would be impossible to collect any revenue from some businesses, he declared, and an arrangement would have to be made to bring these concerns within the bound of provincial taxation. He urged reduction in the amusement tax, except in the case of race tracks, and the abolition of the tax on farmland. He said that the Government, as amateur sports were concerned, British Columbia's great need, he asserted, was people. The prosperity of the country, he maintained, would be determined by the extent of its production and production could not be increased without a larger population.

He advocated the establishment of a great white man's fishing industry on the Pacific Coast.

B. C. RECOVERING

Captain Mackenzie, with facts and figures, showed how British Columbia had recovered from the serious difficulties into which it was plunged by the former Conservative Government.

He quoted from various papers all over Canada and in England, praising British Columbia's system of public accounting.

This, he declared, was in strange contrast to conditions under the Conservative Government. In those days it was impossible to understand the Province's finances from the public accounts, he said.

After all, Capt. Mackenzie went on, the only way to test the record of the Government was to compare conditions to-day with conditions in 1916. Dealing with each Government Department individually, he quoted striking figures to show the enormous development of industry in this Province in the last few years.

In agriculture, he showed, production has increased in all branches. These figures, which he quoted at length, disproved the Opposition charges that the Department of Agriculture had done nothing to develop agriculture, he declared.

"I would like to file these figures as exhibit A in rebuttal to the Opposition statements," he remarked.

EDUCATION PROBLEMS

In education the Government had kept abreast of the times. It had put on the statute books labor laws as progressive as any in the world, he declared. No part of the world, he asserted, was doing more for the workers than British Columbia. He praised the efforts of Attorney-General A. M. Manson to secure work for the returned soldiers and urged him to continue this work.

Capt. Mackenzie can little hope for the Conservative Party, and as for the Third Party, Capt. Mackenzie believed it to be a combination of capitalists and socialists.

Later in the day Thomas Uphill, Labor Member for South Vancouver, indignantly denied that the Labor Party had any connection with General A. D. McRae's Provincial Party.

Because the salesman, Laughed at Mr. Jones's jokes.

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OPPOSITION PUTS PROPAGANDA INTO RECORDS OF HOUSE

Improper Questions Asked to Spread Damaging Innuendoes, Premier Charges

Bowser Demands Investigation of Charge Against Liquor Vendor

Charges that Opposition members are using the records of the House for improper purposes, and through questions to Ministers, giving out damaging innuendoes were hurled across the floor of the Legislature late yesterday afternoon by Premier Oliver and Attorney-General A. M. Manson.

These charges brought quick retort from W. J. Bowser, the Opposition Leader. He declared that Mr. Manson had made incorrect answers to questions when he said that F. J. Flanagan, Vancouver liquor vendor, had not been convicted of an infraction of the Prohibition Act.

"Will the Attorney-General investigate my statement that Flanagan is a convicted bootlegger and is in the employ of the Government? Will he hide under a rule of the House?" Mr. Bowser demanded.

Mr. Manson replied that the information which he had supplied to the House had been based on official statements of the Vancouver police. He added that he would look further into Mr. Bowser's statement.

CASTING SLURS

Mr. Bowser's definite charge was provoked by Mr. Manson's demand that Opposition members stop using the journals of the House as a newspaper and to cast damaging innuendoes. In the case of Flanagan, said, a slur had been cast on a man who, he believed, was innocent. The questions asked by R. H. Pooley, Conservative member for Squamish—whether Flanagan had been convicted of violating the Prohibition Act—were answered by Mr. Manson in the negative.

When Mr. Pooley declared that he had secured his information about Flanagan out of The Vancouver World, the Premier quoted the rules of the House to show that members should not base questions to the Government on Press reports.

ASKS INVESTIGATION

"Well, I may say that the Attorney-General in answering this question about Flanagan has got wrong information," Mr. Bowser declared. "I hold a certificate of a conviction of this man for an infraction of the Prohibition Act, and after he was convicted he was appointed liquor vendor. I ask the Attorney-General to go into this matter and investigate Flanagan's past."

Mr. Manson retorted that the Opposition members were violating the rules of the House in asking questions, and answers to which they already knew.

"They are attempting to use the votes and proceedings of this House as a public newspaper," he charged.

"I want to know whether this man was guilty or not," Mr. Pooley insisted. "I did not know the answer to my question."

The Premier objected to another question standing in Mr. Pooley's name. This asks how much money the Government had paid to a Vancouver legal firm of which Robert Smith is a member. This question was out of order, the Premier declared. Did Mr. Pooley want the Government to sort out all the Robert Smiths in Vancouver?

Mr. Pooley's question as to whether Robert Smith was the son of Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith had nothing to do with parliamentary business and was out of order also, the Premier declared, and asked that both questions be expunged from the records.

IMPROPER MOTIVES

"These questions were clearly put out of order per from an improper motive and against the honor of the House," the Premier asserted.

Mr. Pooley held that his questions were justified.

Mr. Speaker Pauline announced that he would rule upon the point raised by the Premier Monday.

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Skirt in bouffant style, with trimmings of silver lace, finished with metallic ribbon girdle. Price, \$39.50

Evening Gown of Black Panné Velvet
Straight bodice and full skirt. Price\$35.00

Cherry Colored Evening Gown
Of georgette, with three wide bands of gold lace on skirt, gold lace collar to match, girdle of gold and silver ribbon. Price\$45.00

Charming Gown of Orchid Colored Georgette Crepe
With overskirt of fine shirred georgette, trimmed with narrow silver lace and finished with metallic flower girdle. Price, \$69.50

French Evening Gown of Rubisat Chiffon Velvet
Handsomely embroidered with white and silver beads, rosette of self material at waist. Price\$59.50

Dainty Evening Model of Turquoise Taffeta Silk

Straight bodice, with frill skirt, corsage of large violas at waist. Price\$29.50

Another French Model of Jade Green Moire Silk

Straight panel hanging from waist line, with large fancy buckle, draped effect from shoulder to skirt. Price\$75.00

Also same model as above only in rose moire silk. Price\$75.00
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Florence Barclay
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James Oliver Curwood
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There's nothing that will give so much tone richness and solid comfort to a room as a good Chesterfield or Easy Chair. Why not plan to have one in your home this Christmas. A small deposit will secure any piece you like for delivery at a later date or if you prefer we will deliver immediately and arrange terms of payment to suit your convenience. Note these special value offerings for Monday.

Six-Foot Chesterfield
Covered in tapestry in soft green floral design, has loose Marshall Spring cushions, deep buttoned back and arms. Our own make. Price\$99.50

Seven-Foot Chesterfield
With roll arms, covered in green denim, very suitable for any room. Our own make. Price\$85.00

Six-Foot Chesterfield
Kidney shape, covered in plain brown denim, full Marshall spring cushions, deep buttoned back and arms. Our own make. Price\$110.00

Seven-Foot Chesterfield
In pillow arm style, covered in fawn colored English tapestry, full Marshall spring cushion seat, deep spring back, head rail, stuffing. Well made. Price\$205.00

Very Large Chesterfield
In two-tone mohair, in brown and fawn with touch of blue; full Marshall spring cushions, extra deep seat, best hair stuffing. Price\$219.00

Upholstered Chairs and Rockers
Wing effect, with full Marshall spring cushion seats, spring backs and rose figured tapestry. In good quality figured tapestry. Price\$49.25

Upholstered Fireside Chair
In wing effect, covered in blue and rose figured tapestry. Regular value \$65.00. Reduced to\$49.50

Long Back Upholstered Den Chair
Full Marshall spring cushioned seat and spring back; upholstered in good grade tapestry. Regular value \$65.00. Reduced to\$49.25
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Norway—Demand 14.43.
Sweden—Demand 26.15.
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Spain—Demand 12.88.
Greece—Demand 1.54.
Poland—Demand .00006.
Czechoslovakia—Demand 2.88.
Yugo-Slavia—Demand 1.13.
Austria—Demand .0014.

hold on until something brighter comes out of Europe. The fact that the market has not been so active since Wednesday is one of the factors which leads us to believe in continuance of support and organized buying power.

Black Maloney & Co.: We renew our advice to get out of long stocks on first spots. Think can be replaced lower down.

John Moody: Conservative investors may well continue to give preference to railroad bonds rather than stocks for the present at least.

W. H. C. Look: As though the market would gain a new impetus in

ASBESTOS CRUMBLE OFF; STOCK TUMBLES

(By Burdick Bros. Leased Wire)
Montreal, Nov. 17.—Asbestos Company stock still shows a further declining tendency. The common stock has lost 26 points during the last two weeks, selling to-day at 35. The preference

Farmmen Kodak	107 1/2
Famous Players-Lasky	62
Federal Electric	178 1/2
Federal Trust	117 1/2
Fidelity & Deposit	148 1/2
Industrial Alcohol	88 1/2
Int'l. Combust. Engine	21 1/2
International Harvester	75
Int'l. Merc. Marine, pref.	31 1/2
Int'l. Paper	37 1/2
Josephson	35
Loews Incorporated	17 1/2
Montgomery Ward	24 1/2
National Biscuit	50 1/2
National Enamel	38 1/2
North American Co.	22 1/2
Owens Bottle Works	41 1/2

Medical Officer Wanted

Applications are invited for the position of Chief Medical Officer for the Wellington-Extension Medical Accident and Burial Fund, Ladysmith, B.C. Applicants must be qualified Medical Practitioners for British Columbia and thoroughly experienced in Surgery and must be prepared to take charge on January 1, 1924.

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Yugo-Slavia—Demand 1.13.
Austria—Demand .0014.

Josephthal & Co.: Looks as though the market would gain a new impetus in the present at least.

Montreal, Nov. 17.—Asbestos Company stock still shows a further declining tendency. The common stock has lost 16 points during the last two weeks, selling to-day at 26. The preferred

Loews Incorporated	17%	17%	17%
Montgomery Ward	24%	24%	24%
National Biscuit	50%		50%
National Enamel	38	37%	38
North American Co.	22%	22	22
Owens Bottle Works	41%		41%

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VICTORIA, B.C., SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1923

In London

Imperial Conference Romance; Lord Curzon's Adventures; Bernard Shaw's New Serial; London's Little Season

LONDON.—Romance for the perceptive mind is everywhere, but sometimes it cries aloud so that all can hear.

At Chatsworth there was a party for the Imperial delegates, from which, unfortunately, the Irish Prime Minister and General Smuts were absent. The great house, which Princess Lieven said was more palatial than any continental palace, was a setting which seemed to unite past and present, England and the outer world, historic grandeur and homely practical realities.

A still more dramatic occasion was the King's dinner at the palace a few days before. Three of the guests—the reader is permitted to guess their names—were talking.

Said one: "My grandfather was outlawed for high treason."

Said another: "Two years ago tonight I was myself in prison for high treason."

Said a third: "Twenty-four years ago to-night I was leading my command over the Natal frontier."

Now the three were sitting at the King's board, ruling members of that amazing thing, the British Empire. Small wonder that Germany in 1914 misunderstood us.

Lord Curzon's newly-published "Tales of Travels" should do something to get rid of the idea that the Foreign Secretary lives in an Olympian seclusion apart from human interests.

Few men have traveled so far and so adventurously, and the book is written with the enthusiasm of a boy. He consoles himself with the thought that, though now he may be sedentary and middle-aged, he, too, has heard the chiming of midnight.

He has been stoned on the quays of Valencia, he has been the honored guest of murderers, he has been arrested as a spy, and he has revealed in strange sights and uncouth experiences. He tells and stories of the death of kings, for most of his hosts seem to have come by tragic ends.

Having no uniform when he went to stay with the Amir, he got a fancy one from a Afghan. At Kirwan he managed to secure an entrance to a ghastly Dervish ritual by representing that he was a son of General Boulanger.

He attended the Requiem Mass for King Victor Emmanuel by putting on dress clothes and passing as an Italian mayor, and at Teheran, where a tophat was necessary for an interview with the Shah, he absconded with the headgear of a French savant.

What statesman of the day has so wholeheartedly followed the advice of Mr. Kipling's character, to "buy a ham and see life." Lord Curzon has had as many adventures as a Mexican President.

Mr. Bernard Shaw's "Back to Methuselah," which has just been given in Birmingham, is an example of a new form of art. It is a serial play which takes three nights to produce.

It is possible that we are about to see an extension of serialization elsewhere than in the newspapers. It is easy to imagine a great cinematic film which would appear by instalments, especially something with an educational purpose. We are familiar with the issue in parts of histories of the world and compilations of popular science; but in our grandfathers' time popular novels also appeared in parts.

Dickens and Thackeray delighted their readers with novels spread over the better part of a year, and the slim numbers now fetch a fancy price from book collectors. Mr. Wells once had an idea of reviving this form of publication, and there is a good deal to be said for it.

London is enjoying a "little" season and the various activities and attractions of the capital this Autumn almost rival the fullness of the June days when the season proper was at its height.

The influx of Americans has hardly lessened and there are many visitors from all parts of the continent, the Dominions and the provinces. All the hotels are full; indeed, many of them are in the latest people away and the shopping centers—Regent Street, Bond Street and Oxford Street—are crowded with busy shoppers of both sexes.

The theatres, too, report an unusual amount of business for this time of the year. First nights follow one after the other, the latest play to be presented being "The Lie," by the veteran, Henry Arthur Jones, forty-five years after the staging of his first play.

In spite of that nip in the air, the parks are almost as frequented as they were in the Summer months, many strollers being attracted to Hyde Park, in particular, by a remarkably fine exhibition of dahlias and other Autumn flowers, which give a wonderful color effect in the sunshine against the red and brown of the falling leaves.



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British Girls Flout Jobs as Servants

No Relief Seen in Shortage as Work is Shunned as Survival of Paternalism

DIGNITY NEEDED TO LURE WORKERS

Committee Finds Home Service Must be Put on Office Work Plane

LONDON, Nov. 17.—Five minutes of conversation with anyone here on the shortage of domestic servants would bring about opinions as contradictory as the following:

There are none to be had; there are plenty to be had; servants are all living on unemployment dole; it is a scandal that servants are not eligible for such dole; employers are stupid and cruel, refusing to instal labor-saving appliances; no servant can be induced to use the labor-saving appliances.

This perplexing situation resulted in the appointment of a committee of twelve women who reported to the Minister of Labor recently. The committee, headed by Mrs. E. M. Wood, consisted of women differing widely in personality, experience and political viewpoint, but their report was unanimous.

The problem is that while the number not only of capable but of untrained servants falls far short of the demand, the want advertisement columns of the newspapers are crowded with applications of women in search of employment.

SUBJECT OF CONTROVERSY

The committee of women, which inquired into the problem came in for a good deal of ridicule and some rather ill-natured abuse while they were collecting the evidence and their report was equally subject to excited controversy. The report was made up from the composite viewpoint of the employer who wants a sufficient supply of servants who know their business and of servants who want freedom and opportunities for relaxation and self-improvement comparable to those enjoyed by young women in other occupations.

The report first demolished the legend that there is an army of willfully idle women who are drawing unemployment dole and burdening the taxpayers. It is pointed out that unemployment acts can only be said to shelter women out of work and it would not be just to conscript as domestic servants, by a policy of starvation, jobless women whose work has been in other trades and who paid their contributions for unemployment benefits they are now receiving.

HANDICAPPED FOR MARRIAGE

The committee was therefore thrown back on the already fairly obvious fact that young women won't go into domestic service for the reason that they don't like it. The committee then sought to discover how the service can be made attractive. Among the reasons why it is disliked, the committee finds, is that "next to parsons, servants are the most ridiculed class in the community."

Another reason is the belief among young women that servants are "handicapped" in the matrimonial market, although statistics disprove this. The root of objection to the service, aside from limitations on personal freedom, is the fact that the occupation, even where it is "in good moral standard, calling for absolute trustworthiness and ability to assume responsibility in essential, nevertheless is regarded by the workers themselves as inferior to unskilled work in shops or factories or offices.

WIFE OUT CLASS LINES

The committee, therefore, proposes to obliterate as far as possible the distinction between domestic and other workers. The report points out that on the administration side the home worker should be given identical citizenship with other women and on the personal side should be attracted by definite and scrupulously observed agreements about hours and conditions of service.

To give dignity to the occupation, the committee suggests recognition of domestic work as a skilled occupation and organization in different routine so that servants will have a definite amount of leisure. There should be a general agreement as to wages and conditions in different localities and a realization by the employers that conditions must approximate those in other industries.

In line with the conclusion that domestic service be recognized as a skilled occupation, for which training is essential, the committee recommends school instruction in domestic science for every girl between the ages of twelve and fourteen, with a system of scholarships and courses in how to lay a middle-class table and "prepare dishes which the working class cannot afford to eat."

The report fails to grapple with the root of the fact, namely, that domestic service is a survival of the old system of paternalism in industry which has gone into the discard in all other occupations. Despite the report of the committee, therefore, all indications are that the servant is fated to become ultimately as rare in England as she already is in the Dominion.

CHARM



Lady Diana Somerset, beautiful daughter of Duke and Duchess of Beaufort, is recognized as one of the most talented amateur actresses in the titled set abroad. It is said she is ambitious to go on the stage, but her parents are restraining her.

Protest on Women Smoking Stirs London

Objections Over Here to Lady Eleanor Smith Lighting Cigarette in Public Place Called Outrage

LONDON, Nov. 17.—With so many English dowagers and flappers confirmed smokers, there is amazement here at the indignation expressed by some fair residents of American and Canadian cities, because Lady Eleanor Smith, daughter of Lord Birkenhead, was constrained to light up in public. Just when the average Briton had got used to the idea of a battle in America over the Darwinian theory, Sioux City starts smoking in public, while they themselves have had the temerity to get busy with the men folk in the living-room before the fireplace.

In Bohemia it is no unusual thing to see women smoking small cigars or cheroots, a habit brought there from Spain and Italy. Several of the hardest feminine members of the Bohemian set do not, however, balk at a real cigar. The only thing which has caused some society women to give up smoking in public is the fact that it has become a proletarian habit.

Betting Is Not Real Sin, Vicar Declares

Clergyman Is Taken to Task for Utterance of Proscribed Word in Emphasizing Gambling Folly

LONDON, Nov. 17.—Is "damn" a swear word. And if so, is it permissible for a clergyman to use it, even though he does not mean it in that sense? These are questions agitating the British clergy at the present moment.

The controversy began at the diocesan conference at South End, when a rural dean moved a resolution that in fresh legislation the state should have nothing to do either with betting or gambling. This was seconded by the Bishop, and the resolution probably would have passed if the Vicar of Brentwood had not stirred the conference to amazement by declaring:

"Betting is no worse than the gambling in oil shares which is done by churchwardens as well as other officers of the church."

"I know that gambling has been damned as folly," the vicar continued, "but it is not sin."

He immediately was called to order by the Bishop of Chelmsford, who was presiding. The conference was so startled, however, by the champion of betting that the resolution was defeated. Now the discussion has been turned not on his views of betting but on the phrase with which he expressed them. The vicar himself is unrepentant.

"It is not wrong to say 'damn,'" he asserted. "It is only vulgar. Ever since Noah came out of the ark clergymen have been using the same platitudes and shibboleths. I say again that to describe gambling as a sin is idiotic, but you can say that it is damned folly, and so it is."

It is a fact that of those clergymen who have given their opinion of the matter the bishops all frown heavily on the word, while the views of curates and vicars differ according to the locality of their parishes. Thus, while a clergyman from the West End of London says, "I don't use the word myself, but don't wish to express any opinion at another man doing so," the rector of an East End church maintains the word is a very innocent one and "I shouldn't feel at all unhappy about using it myself."

Quite a number of the general public, however, and more especially those who backed the great French horse Epinard for the Cambridge-shire race—Epinard being beaten—are disposed to agree with the Vicar of Brentwood that betting is all he says it is.

MAN 43 PER CENT STRONGER THAN WOMAN, TESTS SHOW

LONDON, Nov. 17.—The dynamometer, a strength-testing machine which Dr. W. Hope, medical health officer for Liverpool, has been applying to all comers, shows that the so-called average man is forty-three per cent stronger than the average woman.

But when it comes to resistance the female of the species is not so far behind. The ergograph, a more refined instrument for the measurement of resistance power, showed that men average thirty-nine per cent stronger than women.

RICH DUKE WINS.—The Duke of Westminster's "Chronometer" defeated "Straightlace" and "Blue Lake" in a driving finish for the Park Stakes at Newmarket, England.

Doctors Make New Faces in London Home

Major Gilles Performs Wonders in Plastic Surgery at St. Andrew's

ONE CLERK GETS VERY GOOD NOSE

Fresh Jaw and Eyebrows Formed For Woman Terribly Burned

LONDON, Nov. 17.—Such remarkable results in plastic surgery have recently been achieved at St. Andrew's Hospital here that it has been impossible to treat more than a few of the hundreds of applicants who, because of facial deformities, have a hard time getting jobs, or find their faces a blight on their matrimonial chances.

Major H. D. Gilles, who during the war was engaged in rebuilding the faces of wounded men, is in charge of this work at St. Andrew's, where a clinic will be held attended by doctors from America and other countries.

Sister M. Ignatius, matron at the hospital, described some of the remarkable work recently done there. One clerk, whose ugly nose prevented him from obtaining a good job, underwent treatment. "He now has a nose as good as any in the kingdom and is really a good looking man," said the matron.

"One woman who has sustained terrible burns on her face was practically equipped with a new jaw and eyebrows. Another whose face was fearfully injured by the accidental discharge of a gun eventually left the hospital with a completely restored face. By skin grafting a baby with a withered ear was supplied with a good one."

Major Gilles would not talk about the work he had done but the matron was very enthusiastic. Recently such work was confined to soldiers or the rich, but now at St. Andrew's persons of very moderate means may undergo the treatment.

SCHOOLGIRLS SEE COURT PASS ON CRIME CASES

LONDON, Nov. 17.—A novel educational experiment has been tried out at Taunton, where thirty seniors from a local secondary school, in charge of the mistress, attended the Somerset assizes. The girls, who sat in the grand jury gallery heard the trials of burglary and forgery cases.

The educational authorities are sharply divided regarding the wisdom of the experiment, some declaring that the moral rather than the educational side might appeal to the students. This was denied by the mistress, Miss Wills, who says that actual insight into the administration of justice serves a useful object lesson to the senior girls, who in school life are called on to help preserve discipline.

One girl who was asked to give briefly her impressions wrote: "Going to court shows how crime is found out by the use of common sense and reasoning power, and that although it is best to be merciful in most cases, it is necessary to be stern in dealing with serious crimes."

BALDWIN'S SON HITS AT FOREIGN POLICIES

LONDON, Nov. 17.—The present government has chosen the most incompetent persons to look after its foreign policy. To call it a foreign policy is a compliment.

It was not Premier Stanley Baldwin, however, who made this statement, but his son, Oliver Baldwin, who holds strongly Socialist convictions.

Relating how he was thrown into prison by the Bolsheviks for protesting against the milk being sent to Russia from Armenia when Armenian children were starving, young Baldwin remarked: "There is about as much distance between Communism and Socialism as between the two poles."

"Communism brings an extraordinary feeling of exhilaration, like champagne, as it sweeps over the nation," he added.

FLASHY DRESS IN CHOIR MAKES PASTOR PROTEST

LONDON, Nov. 17.—Flashily dressed women in the choir lofts back of the pulpit are not conducive to a spirit of reverence and distract attention from the preacher. So thinks the Rev. T.

Wilkinson Riddle, Nonconformist leader of the West of England and pastor of a Plymouth church.

The Rev. Mr. Riddle advocates a uniform of cap and gown for the women of the choir, that the congregation may be free from any distractions and give the man in the pulpit their undivided attention.

The City Temple of London is one of several churches where the cap and gown plan already has been adopted. While the pastor of the City Temple therefore has no complaint to make on the way his women choristers dress, he took the opportunity to tell his congregation that a good, full-throated swear word such as "damn" might many times be usefully and quite innocently employed to clear the air at many deacons' meetings.

The Temple pastor, the Rev. F. W. Norwood, did not specify what board of deacons he had in mind, but he insisted that short cuts effected by a timely swear word were far better than the "conventional beating about the bush."

Another of his remarks on the subject was: "Many laymen possess an ignorance of swear words, but it takes a minister to show them how."

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LORD ROTHERMERE

British Labor Says it is a News Trust

Lord Rothermere's press holdings to-day are as follows:

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Evening Standard.	Athletic News.
Daily Sketch.	Sunday Chronicle.
Sunday Herald.	Empire News.
Sunday Pictorial.	World's Pictorial News.
Sunday Illustrated.	
Weekly Dispatch.	

Lord Rothermere, through the Daily Mail Trust, paid £5,000,000 for Sir Edward Hulton's publications, which, including various periodicals, comprised fully forty publications. With Beaverbrook, Rothermere now taps ninety per cent of the newspaper circulation of the country. It is a situation which stupefies some politicians. There are few who are willing to prognosticate what effect this concentration of power will have in the near future. The papers outside these two rings regard it ominously. There is talk of starting some opposition papers, but for the time being the tendency is to await developments.

*Although it is controlled by Lord Beaverbrook.

Judges Taste 455 Kinds of Beer in Week

Britain's Champion Tasters Find Stuff at Brewers' Show Pretty Good Despite Modern Degeneration.

LONDON, Nov. 17.—Britain's champion beer tasters, who are imported from the north country to pass judgment on more than 455 kinds of beer at the brewers' exhibition, have concluded it might have been worse.

Despite the lamentation of some judges for the days of yore, they still are willing to admit that on the average the beer is pretty good stuff. There were twenty-six judges, and for a week they had been on a dry diet, whetting their palates with a

snappy variety of cheese to enhance their sensitiveness. This commodity also was much in evidence during the testing.

To size up the brands accurately it was deemed necessary to have no lingering taste from one brew when another was tested. This lingering taste was eliminated by nibbling cheese.

To relieve the minds of the dry diet has been explained that beer tasters only take a sip, and do not swallow even that.

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For real effectiveness, this old home-made remedy has been made. Easily and cheaply prepared.

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Aversion to Lionizing Bane of Sargent's Life

Society Woman Pities Man Whose Little
Water Colors Bring a Thousand
Dollars Apiece

Because the people of Boston pay little attention to the coming and going of the most celebrated painter of the English-speaking world, John Singer Sargent likes to paint there. This aversion of Mr. Sargent's to be lionized appears in a story of his keeping his promise to attend a private view of some of his drawings which were to be sold for a war charity. He is punctilious about engagements, and therefore at the hour designated he showed up at the entrance to the art gallery where the works were to be shown. He paused a minute on the threshold, and then, as the buzz of loquacious femininity rose on the air he suddenly threw up both hands, exclaimed "Oh, my God!" and bolted for the street door.



John Singer Sargent

Those who gush over his work Sargent cannot tolerate. During the private showing last winter of the first installation of rotunda decorations at the Museum of Fine Arts a woman of social consequence pointed ecstatically toward the panel on which Apollo and the Muses are depicted.

"Oh, Mr. Sargent!" she exclaimed. "Who and what are those wonderful figures?" "Just blokes dancing," was the terse reply.

In one of his doubting moods of questioning whether he has or has not a right to continue to try to draw and paint Mr. Sargent would probably even find a certain reasonableness in the comment made upon his supposed inefficiency by a society woman who saw him at work without knowing whom he was. The story is told by Frederick W. Coburn in The New York Times. It happened at Dublin, N.H., one of the places where the painter likes to "splash in water colors," as he phrases it, that a woman artist of some distinction was walking on a woody path with another woman, wealthy and an amateur painter of no especial talent.

They came presently upon a gentleman who sat by the wayside blocking in a water-color. Recognizing a friend who does not like to be disturbed when at work, the woman first mentioned nudged the other one to be quiet, and they both stood watching for a few minutes. Then as they both walked on, the society woman observed compassionately, "Oh, dear, isn't it pitiful! Why do people imagine that they can paint? There is a man whose hair is turning grey, and you can see from his work that he will never do anything at all."

For each example of water color painting made thus ineptly, Mr. Sargent receives \$1,000.

No Rising Generation in This Odd Man's Youth

Silas K. Hocking, Famous Novelist, Tells
Funny Incident on Circuit in
His Reminiscences

Silas K. Hocking, the well-known novelist, who was for many years a nonconformist minister, has just issued a volume of fascinating reminiscences which bristle with amusing stories.

One of the most humorous happened to him while on circuit.

"There were old people as well, and sometimes their oddities were a little amusing. I remember one man particularly. He had turned over a new leaf and joined the church late in life. He was intensely in earnest and profoundly ignorant. He loved prayer meetings, and never missed an opportunity of giving voice to his feelings.

"Broad is the way," he cried out on one occasion. "Oh, Lord, there was a time when it weren't near broad enough for me, and I used to find myself head over heels in the dyke."

"On another occasion he prayed: 'Lord bless the rising generation. Thou knows when I was a lad there weren't no rising generation.' But the hymn for originality was, I think, the following (it was not present on the occasion): 'Stir us up,' he cried with uplifted hands. 'We've been setting so long at ease in Zion that we've got stiff in the joints. We want Him, we do. Oh Lord, stir us, stir us with the Isle of Patmos.'"

"Still another is of an old Scotman who lay dying. By his side sat his wife, waiting in silence. Close to the bed on a little round table burned a solitary candle. For a long time the silence continued unbroken. Then the old woman rose from her chair. 'Donald,' she said, 'I'm going into the kitchen, and I may be away some considerable time; but if thou shouldst take thy departure before I return, first blow out the light!'"



Silas K. Hocking

NOT RUNNING A BILL

She had just started housekeeping with the acceptable intention of paying ready money upon all occasions, and she entered a poultryer's shop to purchase a spring chicken.

She selected one, and while she was fumbling in her pocket for her purse, the salesman inquired politely, "Trussed, madam?" "Oh, dear, no!" she replied indignantly. "I wish to pay for it now!"

MAKING HIS MARK

Ignorance isn't bliss when a man has to make his mark in the world because of his inability to write his name



PAGE ABOUT PEOPLE

Sidelights on Men and Women in the Public Eye



Mr. Ferguson Meets Proud "Honest Injun"

Young Brave Refuses Gift of Box of Cartridges That he Did Not Win

As a demonstration of the popular exaggeration of some qualities in Ontario Indians and the habit of minimizing their honesty, an appropriate illustration came to light during the recent northern trip to Premier G. Howard Ferguson.

The Premier and his party had been visiting quite unofficially several Indian reservations and left most of them without the natives ever discovering their identity. Landing on a reserve on an island, the Premier was greeted by the chief and the group stood in quiet conversation for a short time until a young brave interrupted with a request that the chief give him a box of cartridges. The chief refused rather unceremoniously and explaining to the guest that this particular youth was most extravagant with ammunition, whereupon Mr. Ferguson smiled a log floating about seventy-five feet offshore and offered a box of cartridges to the first Indian that could hit it. As the log was about eight inches wide and six feet long it offered no particularly difficult target to a good marksman. Like wildfire the fame of the contest spread through the camp and young braves came running from all directions to compete. Soon rifle fire cracked angrily all along the bank and the shots splattered hopelessly all about the log but not one hit it. Far more than a box of ammunition had been expended without one hit having been registered, when the Premier lifted his hand and said, "Let me have a try." A gun was quickly offered and with scarcely a moment's hesitation four bullets had been embedded in the log. When Mr. Ferguson offered to supply the cartridges anyway, the young brave whose request had started the contest drew himself up haughtily and refused to accept. "I no win," he explained.



Hon. H. G. Ferguson

Thrilled Vast Crowds, Now Poor Music Teacher

Old Lady of Albany Treasures Madame
Albani's Piano and Letters

A cable from England reports that Lady Gouin, wife of the Minister of Justice, Sir Lomer Gouin, has paid a visit to Madame Albani, the once famous prima donna. There was a touch of sadness given to this visit by the fact that Madame Albani is no longer the great star she was ten or twenty years ago, but is obliged to accept a small pension from the British Government and also to give singing lessons for a living.



Mme. Albani

Naturally the old lady was proud of her achievements. She stated, however, that Madame Albani did not take her name from the New York capital but from some town or province in Italy. To Canadians she is still remembered as the nightingale of Chambly.

Presence of Alexandra Charms Naughty Baboon

Dinduna, Who Threatened International
Complications, Behaved Like a
Saint for Four Days

Sir Harry Johnston has traveled widely, but he has done more. He is a distinguished artist and author, a regular exhibitor in former days at the Royal Academy. His discoveries of strange, unknown animals would have sufficed to earn him fame, and he has occupied many important diplomatic posts, including the consulate general at Tunis and the consulate at Mozambique. He has been the ruler of vast provinces of British Central Africa, Uganda, etc., with powers of life and death.

At Tunis he kept a tame baboon called Dinduna, which became quite celebrated, and which for a long time he quite expected to be able to train to talk.

How Dinduna took a great fancy to Queen Alexandra is told by Sir Harry. "She was a very nice animal," he describes her enthusiastically, "and never forgot me even after she had been shut up a long time at the zoo. Never have I known a livelier companion. Indeed, it was her high spirits which caused her death at last, for she leaped about so violently that she broke her back against the bars of her cage."

I originally bought her in Tunis from a man who had brought her right across the Sahara—at least, he said so. She was capricious in her likes and dislikes, sometimes taking strange aversions. I remembered she cherished a particular dislike for the French resident's wife, screaming whenever she saw her and trying to tear her clothes. I began to fear this naughtiness might lead to international complications.

"Imagine my alarm when Queen Alexandra arrived at Tunis. There was no knowing what Dinduna would do, so I had to shut her up during the royal visit. But the Queen insisted on letting her out, and she behaved like a saint for four days, with complete propriety, displaying an affection for Her Majesty greater than any she had ever shown for anyone before."

Angel of Broadway, a Lover of Golf, Prepares for Evangelistic Campaign



her Sunday night meetings outside the Gaiety Theatre.

When she refused to move on at the orders of a patrolman and was arrested, a crowd of more than 4,000 sympathizers followed the police, hissing and booing them, until the reserves had to be called out.

"A Billy Sunday in petticoats!" she has been called. Now she has said good-bye to Broadway, where she labored at street corner meetings to save souls, for two years.

People have wondered at her disappearance from public view; but this picture on the links at St. Petersburg, Florida, is the explanation. Here she has taken to golf as a means of recreation in preparation for an evangelistic tour over the continent.

"My message will now be directed to youth," she says.

"I want my campaign to bring back youth to the church. The churches are empty, and youth is the church's backbone. I don't care what methods I use at my lectures—even gay lighting effects or a chorus—but I want to attract them to the meetings. The rest will take care of itself."

"I want to sell youth a vision," said Miss Crawford. I want to tell them there is a solution for everything in the world—Jesus Christ. I admire youth as it is to-day, its assurance and its sophistication. I would not take an iota away from them, but beg them to add something to their mental make-up; a dash of faith, which will put in the sweetness they lack. I want them to see something outside that life they live from day to day. I want my sermons to teach them the sweetness of better things, to create within them a want for spiritual things."

Fast Day For Foxes on the Clark Farm

Rev. Dr. George Clark, of St. Catharines, has had a very notable career. A great many years of his long life have been worthily spent in the service of the Methodist church, and his years of retirement have brought him fame as a breeder of beautiful silver foxes.

Recently a priest of the Roman Catholic faith was an interested visitor to the fox pens. "And what do you feed the creatures on, Brother Clark?" he asked.

"Everything that a dog would eat," was the answer of the retired Methodist minister. "Table scraps, bread, cereals and every day a little meat, saving on Friday's, your reverence, when I give them fish!"

A Strong-Armed King

It is not generally known that the King of the Belgians is a remarkably strong man.

Recently he laid the corner stone of a new garden city in Aderlecht, a suburb of Brussels, the ceremony taking place on a Sunday, on which day, by Belgian law, it is forbidden to employ workpeople on any labor that is not strictly necessary.

The official in charge of the work said: "I would like to ask Your Majesty to put that stone in its place, but it is too heavy, and I will ask three of the workmen to do it."

Immediately King Albert took the stone and put it in its place quite easily. Then he remarked, smiling to the Labor Minister who was there, "You see, I respect the law as to Sunday rest."

HAS NO FRIENDS, AND DOESN'T WANT ANY

Selfishness of Ferenc Molnar, the Celebrated Dramatist, is Sublime—Lives on Best Terms With His Wife, But They Dwell in Separate Houses

Not long ago America was puzzled and more than a little startled by the queer eerie play of a Hungarian named Ferenc Molnar. The title "Lilith" meant, we are told, both a lily and by a fine turn of irony—a tough. The central character was just that, a plug-ugly, a wife-beater; but the wild farrago of his adventures was oddly moving itself because he was about as human as humanity itself. It was full of those weird paradoxes that go to make up life—that a man may, for example, torture the woman he loves, chiefly because he loves her and that a woman may love a man for the very failings that make him a bad husband.

Molnar himself, according to those who profess to know him, is an remarkable as his best known play. Strong, sleek, witty, he is the centre of a constant court of admirers, and looks the ideal of a prince in the land of letters. Behind all this lies, they say, a selfishness that is sublime, that of a man so self-centred that he is greater than his literature. He has no friends, desires none. This is not a single contemporary Hungarian writer who has been discovered



Ferenc Molnar, famous playwright

or aided by Molnar; not one who owes him gratitude for anything in his career. All this sort of thing may sound like the personal bias that is too common amongst the

critics of a great artist. A sidelight is thrown upon it, however, by the extraordinary suit in which he was recently defrauded. It appears that, among other war legacies, Budapest has been enjoying a house famine. A certain Government official, unable to find a home, made the discovery that Ferenc Molnar, the celebrated dramatist, was occupying one whole flat all to himself, while his wife, the beautiful actress, Sari Fedak, with whom he was on excellent terms, had another. The official demanded that the law command the Molnar ménage to double up. Ultimately the judge decided that "No one has the right to demand that a husband and wife shall live together" (wild enthusiasm in the court). The congenial couple may now be happy in their own peculiar way.

According to Molnar, he began his career as a dramatist while in his teens. The title of the play, "The Blue Cave," was decided by the fact that his father had recently broken a blue glass bottle which, held in front of a candle, could be made to throw a blue light on the stage. The actors were red painted dummies, the action consisted in jumping about, and the simple but sufficient dialogue began and ended with the words, "Oh, oh, I am coming."

The single performance ended in a big fight with his fellow producer.

Perhaps he was already influenced in his choice of dialogue by the principle which he later put in a most profound epigram. He was told by a young playwright that the producer had struck out some of the best lines in the play. "My friends," said Molnar, "a play was never ruined by the lines that were struck out; it is the lines that they add to them that kill most plays."

Bantings Buried Alive in Days of King Tut

No Second Chance for Medical Experimenters Then—Suffered With Their Mistakes

The retiring disposition of Dr. F. G. Banting, world-famous discoverer of insulin, bids fair to become proverbial. It is only when in the intimate companionship of fellow physicians that he is apt to speak freely, and then only sometimes.

When the discovery of his treatment for diabetes was still the theme of discussion in all medical circles, King Tutankhamen broke into the limelight after 4,000 years of silence in his tomb at Luxor. In this connection it was recalled that the disease of diabetes was known to the ancients as Kryptos, it being one of the oldest ills to which flesh is heir.

A group of Toronto and western doctors were discussing this informally one evening.

"Too bad you didn't live in the days of King Tut, Banting," one of them remarked in a joking way. "Your pancreatic extract would have been working miracles for forty centuries by this time."

"I don't know about that," answered Dr. Banting, with his shy smile. "I mightn't have hit it quite right with my first experiment."

"Well, what about it?" someone wanted to know.

"Just this," said Dr. Banting. "Those old Egyptians weren't over fond of new-fangled theories, and whenever a doctor tried a new treatment, if the patient happened to die they buried the doctor along with him as a warning to others."

The doctors all agreed they would much rather live in this age.



Dr. F. G. Banting

Coolidge Declined to be Immortalized

Considered Sargent Drawings Were Too Rough, and Refused Opportunity to be Sketched by Great Painter

At least, anybody would hesitate to say that President Coolidge does not exercise his own judgment. Even in matters of art he has the courage, it seems to stand in opposition to the great vogue of the Sargent legend, to the great painter who is acclaimed as England's "only living old master."

One of those who might have sat to Mr. Sargent for a charcoal portrait but who passed up the opportunity is the President of the United States.

When Mr. Coolidge was elected Governor of Massachusetts Frank W. Stearns, the Boston merchant, who has been his enthusiastic friend and supporter, thought it would be a fine thing that the future President should be painted by Sargent. A proposal to that effect was made to the artist, who replied that he was taking no sitters, however distinguished, for oil portraits, but that he would be glad to make a drawing of the Governor.

Mr. Coolidge, so the story goes, went out to the Museum of Fine Arts, looked at several of the Sargent charcoals, decided that they were rather rough and unfinished looking, and that he did not like them.

He declined the opportunity to be thus immortalized.

After all, a man has a right to use his private judgment about his own portrait. Mr. Coolidge would probably cheerfully run the risk of being castigated by a certain English critic who once visited Boston and who listened at Cambridge to adverse criticisms of the Sargent portrait of President Eliot in the Harvard Union. "Sir," exclaimed the indignant Briton to an officer of the university, "your Mr. Eliot will be remembered a century hence only as the subject of one of John Singer Sargent's less successful portraits."



President Coolidge

Kipling's Popularity

A. St. John Adecock, editor of The Bookman, in a volume he has published called "Gods of Modern Grub Street," has the following to say of Rudyard Kipling:

"If Kipling's popularity has waned it is chiefly because he has not advanced with the times—he has lost touch with the real spirit of his age; and I believe that is a result of his having withdrawn too much from contact with his fellows."

"Dickens did not immerse himself at Glad's Hill. He was always returning to those places where ordinary folk do congregate, and found inspiration to the last out among the stir and business of the world. Shakespeare's work was done in the hurly-burly of London—he stagnated after he settled down at Stratford, and wrote no more; and one feels that if Kipling would only come out from his hermitage at Burwash and mingle again in the crowded ways of men, as he did in the fullness of his powers, he has it in him yet to be a bringer of new things that shall add new lustre even to his own renown."

Secret of Miss Terry's Rapturous Applause

How Newspaper Boys Learn to Appreciate "High Class Acts" in California

Miss Phyllis Neilson-Terry is one of those rare people who delight in stories against themselves. The following story came from her own lips. She was doing two scenes from "Romeo and Juliet" in vaudeville in Oakland, California. The manager came to her before she appeared on the opening night and told her not to worry if the gallery was a bit noisy, as it was always occupied on Monday evening by a local newspaper's carrier boys, who did not appreciate a poetic turn. She therefore prepared herself for interruption and went on. But her reception was rapturous; the scenes were followed in dead silence and the applause at the end was deafening. Never had she scored such a success—certainly after curtain.

It so happened, however, that her dresser, who was watching her from the gallery the following night, picked up a piece of paper which had apparently been circulated by the head boy the previous evening. Miss Terry's husband, Mr. Cecil King, whose own stories are enough to make a cat laugh, allowed a friend to see this paper: "Say boys, please BE VERY QUIET, and under no circumstances make a bit of noise, or whisper, or move around, or giggle, or anything else during the ROMEO AND JULIET act. Any boy that makes any disturbance whatever will be taken out of the show and will be barred from all future parties. He will also be fired off the paper. This particular act is one of the highest class acts on the Orpheum circuit, and it may not appeal to you, but nevertheless BE QUIET and look at the show. GET THIS! If any disturbance is caused by any boy it will mean we can never go to the Orpheum again. If any guy starts anything I will beat him so bad that he won't know himself. SEE ME! I want each carrier boy to see me at the office immediately after the show—your very truly, JIMMY LOUVAU." Thus are things done in California.



The Bright Miss Asquith

Sir Henry Lucy ("Toby, M.P.") the famous parliamentary journalist, in his third volume of "The Diary of a Journalist," tells the story of how at a certain social function the conversation turned on Asquith's daughter, and of course, the daughter of the famous Margot: "A couple of nights ago Arthur Balfour dined with us at Ashley Gardens. When I was chatting with him in the drawing-room after dinner the conversation turned on Asquith's daughter, Elizabeth (now the Princess Elizabeth). He had recently met her and was greatly struck by her capacity. Wonderful," he said, in a child just entering her teens (1914).

"If she were in this room," he added, looking round at the company, including some notable folk, "she would in time eventually lead the conversation—not by pushing her way to the front but as a matter of course."

"I thought I might tell Asquith this," adds Sir Henry. "The evening post brought me the following letter: 'No. 10 Downing Street, April 22, 1914. 'My dear Lucy—I cannot thank you enough for your letter. It will be a bonne bouche for her mother which she will always treasure. 'Ever yours, 'H. A.'"

ASKS AID FROM GREATER VICTORIA IN HOSPITAL DRIVE

HOSPITAL DIRECTORS ASK PUBLIC GENEROUSLY TO SUBSCRIBE TO CAMPAIGN

Jubilee Hospital Wants \$125,000 to Complete First Unit of Institution; House to House Canvass Commences Next Week

Every citizen of Victoria will be given an opportunity next week in the house to house canvass, to subscribe to the building fund of \$125,000 for the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital. The canvass of a few of the leading citizens and mercantile institutions of Victoria has already elicited generous response.

The new Jubilee Hospital houses approximately 200 patients and will contain a completely equipped laboratory, dispensary, and operating theatre, all designed to rank with the best surgical and medical requirements of the North American continent. From the beginning of the Hospital Standardization movement of the American College of Surgeons it has ranked as an accredited institution, and has recently earned its renewal certificate. The leading radiologist in the United States, who was in Victoria in September, pronounced the X-ray equipment at the hospital of the highest grade.

The object of adding the first unit of the new building is to provide ample accommodation for any demands which may be made upon the institution. Its inception dates from

THE BUILDING

The new east wing of the Jubilee Hospital is designed by P. Leonard James and K. B. Spurgin, and the general contractors are Parfitt Brothers.

This accommodates besides other departments to be referred to later, the public wards and will be known as the "Public Ward Building." The leg of the "T" is 135 feet by an average of forty-three feet and five stories high, contains the private rooms for patients and will be called the "Private Ward Building." The requirements of a modern hospital are manifold, and this building having to house so many different departments of the institution is of necessity a composite one. No two floors are alike in layout, yet the service portions of them are as far as possible identical in order to economize on plumbing installation and to facilitate general administration.

ACCOMMODATION
The new building provides approximately for 200 beds of which fifty-seven are in private rooms. Modern hospital design demands so much more in the way of adjuncts

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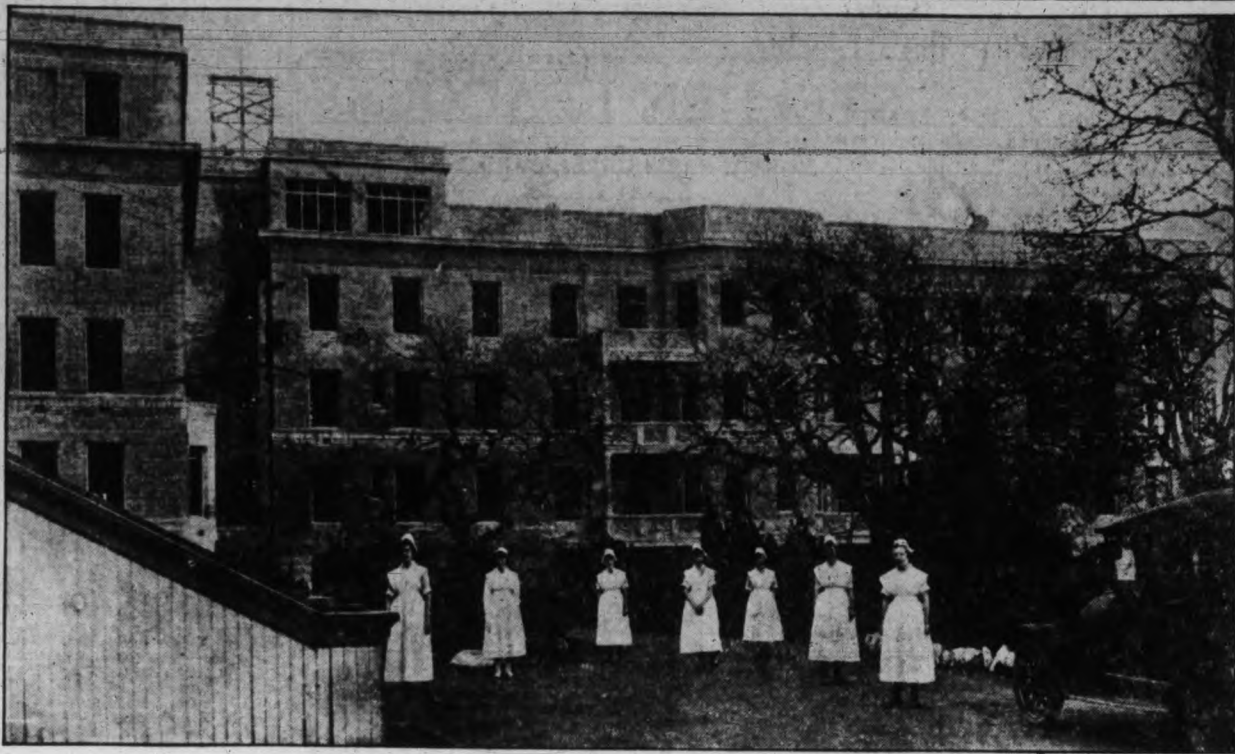
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NEW HOSPITAL WING WITH NURSES STANDING IN FOREGROUND



by means of electric dumb waiters. At the south extremity of the building there is a fine sun room, in a similar position to those on the upper floors, for the use of convalescent patients and their visitors. From this room there is an exit door leading out on to a wide tiled platform which it is the intention to construct so that patients' beds can be wheeled into the open.

A special entrance into the elevator hall at the ground level affords a means of sending ambulance cases up to the wards or operating rooms without traversing any stairs.

SECOND FLOOR
In the public portion there are four six-bed wards facing south, a three-bed and a two-bed observation ward at the east and west ends respectively. The service rooms in connection (and these are the same on all floors, for both public and private service), consist of a chart room and nurses' station, a utility room, a treatment or dressing room, a diet kitchen, wheel-chair room and lavatories, and bathrooms for both sexes.

There is also a waiting-room for patients' friends on each floor. The central corridor on this floor will be continued at the west end to connect with the present hospital building.

THE PRIVATE PORTION
Consists of sixteen single rooms off the wide corridor of which two have private bathrooms while four rooms have open air balconies. Separate chart room, utility, treatment room, and diet kitchen are provided for the private service on each floor. Bath-room and lavatory accommodation. As on the ground floor a large sun room with tiled floor and large open fireplace is placed at the south end of the corridor.

THIRD FLOOR
Public Wards—Two large and airy

HOW THE HOSPITAL IS MANAGED

Victoria's Public Hospital dates from 1888, and is a memorial of the Golden Jubilee of Queen Victoria. It was opened by the Duke of Connaught in 1890, and has been doing splendid work since that time.

The board is managed by a board of twenty-one persons, composed as follows:

Five elected by the City of Victoria.
One by the Municipality of Saanich.
One by the District of Oak Bay.
One by the Township of Esquimalt.

Three nominated by the Provincial Government.
Four elected by the general body of subscribers.
Three by the French Benevolent Association.
Three by the Victoria Medical Association.

The only people who are barred are ministers of religious denominations, and members of the City Council. The city is seeking to remove that disability clause, which until a few years ago, also prevented doctors from sitting on the board.

INSULIN TREATMENT

The Jubilee Hospital is the approved centre for insulin treatment for Vancouver Island, and has already done useful work in that regard.

SUCCESSION DUTY ON LEGACIES

Law May be Amended to Protect Benevolent Bequests

A matter of considerable importance to public bodies who are beneficiaries under charitable bequests in British Columbia was mentioned at the Jubilee Hospital Board meeting last evening.

Both the hospital and the Christ

TREASURES GREATFUL MEMORY

"We would like to take this opportunity of thanking all who had care of her during the five weeks she was in hospital for their kindly attention to every detail to make her comfortable and happy. Mrs. Williams will always have very pleasant memories of the kindness she received at the hands of the staff." This letter expresses sentiments which the Jubilee Hospital Board frequently receives from patients on leaving the institution.

PRESS FORWARD DETAILS OF WING

Hospital Board Decides to Obtain Report on Outstanding Contracts

Much of the time of the Jubilee Hospital Board last evening was occupied with a discussion on the character of the electrical equipment at the new east wing.

The board passed a resolution instructing the architect, P. L. James, to prepare a report on all contracts necessary to complete the new building ready for furnishing.

It transpired from a report that the contractors were keeping well within estimates, and that most of the extras allowed were due to minor changes in plans as construction developed.

ELECTRICAL MATTERS

E. C. Hayward attended to give technical advice on electrical work, the board desiring to make use of the B. C. electric lighting system, instead of a special generating system. It, however, found that the voltage supplied down town business blocks for operating elevators is not guaranteed two and a half miles out, and some difficulties may be anticipated.

Under the circumstances it was resolved to secure more data on the subject. It is probable that the advice of the Victoria Electrical Association, which advised on the electrical aspects of the new building, will again be obtained.

DUTY ON SPECIAL SUPPLIES

The difficulty of buying special hospital equipment which is said not to be manufactured in Canada, and having to pay duty thereon was mentioned to the board, when Mr. James stated that the surgical sinks for the operating rooms would have to be purchased in New York, and duty paid.

President McGregor said that a rebate could later be secured from the customs department.

SALE OF DEBENTURES

The board authorized to sell an additional \$20,000 worth of bonds, to meet payments due on contracts for the new building.

WATER FOR HOSPITAL

It was reported that so far no answer had been obtained from the city to the request for free water for the hospital. Charles Williams said Alderman Sangster, to whom he had



VIEW IN CHILDREN'S WARD

—Photograph by Chapman.

1912, but owing to various reasons the directors were unable to proceed with the wing for some years, although they built the new laundry, and carried out minor parts of the general rebuilding scheme.

For the house to house canvass the city has been plotted out into thirteen sections, and a small body of canvassers under an executive head will make personal calls on all residents, beginning at 10 o'clock Monday.

So that the public may know exactly what the new building will contain, the following descriptive sketch is supplied by the architects:

The New East Wing is "T" shaped on plan, with axis running north and south, this orientation permitting a maximum amount of sunlight to penetrate into all wards and private rooms.

WARD BUILDINGS

The north portion of the building forming the cross of the "T" is 128 ft. x 55 ft. and five stories in height.

and service rooms in connection with the wards than was formerly the case, it naturally follows that buildings are required to be proportionately larger.

ELEVATORS

In a central position between the "Public Ward Building" and the "Private Ward Building" the elevator hall and main staircase is located giving easy access to either; also ready intercommunication between floors. Two full-size hospital type electric elevators are installed here, the arrangement being that one will be in charge of an attendant during the day time; the other a push-button type, which can be operated without an attendant. Space has also been provided for a future service elevator adjoining.

FLOOR PLANS

All floors are above the ground line, there being no basement. This means that all parts will get the

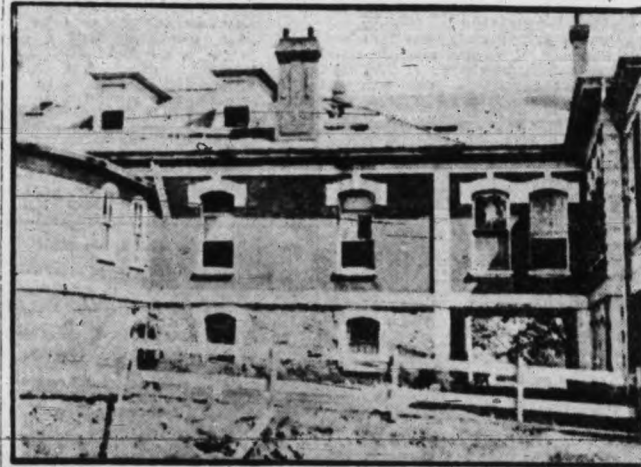
maximum amount of light and air; very important considerations in hospital planning.

FIRST FLOOR

The north portion contains two commodious wards, a service room for the reception of casualty or special cases, dispensary, nurses' cloak room and lavatory, refrigerating and ice-making room, incinerator, etc.

A complete laboratory department comprising chemical, biological and pathological laboratories, sero and bacteriological room, office, stores, post-mortem room, etc., occupies the north-east end of this floor, being fully equipped with all modern facilities for the carrying out of this important branch of hospital work.

In the private ward portion of the building on this floor there are thirteen rooms, with the usual service rooms in connection, and a main diet kitchen where special diets are prepared and sent to the various small diet kitchens throughout the building.



THE WOMEN'S BUILDING

wards, lighted by windows on three sides occupy the east and west ends respectively. Each accommodates fifteen beds. There is also an observation ward. The service rooms and adjuncts are as described for the first floor.

Private Wards—the accommodation on this portion of the floor is identical with that of the first floor private wards.

FOURTH FLOOR

The whole of this floor (public and private) is for the reception of maternity cases, thirty-four beds in all.

The public service consists of two seven-bed wards, one six-bed ward, and two observation wards of one bed each, preparation room, delivery room (north lighted) and doctors' scrub room, large nursery on the south side with babies' bathroom adjoining. The service rooms are as before described.

The private has twelve separate rooms and its own preparation and delivery rooms, nursery, etc.

No distinction is made between the private both public service arrangements both being complete and fully modern in all respects.

FIFTH FLOOR

The entire floor, except one portion above the private ward building is occupied by the operating department.

There are six operating rooms, of which two are for major operations one for fractures, and septic cases and one dental and minor operating.

and two for eye, ear, nose, and throat treatment, with a dark room in connection. The operating rooms are arranged along the north side, with north and top lighting in the studio manner, this system ensuring steady natural daylight without shadows or reflections.

From the elevator hall direct access is given to two large reception lobbies, east and west of the building. The operating rooms are beyond these again, and other rooms comprising anaesthetic rooms, sterilizing and sink rooms, surgeons' consulting rooms and lavatory, surgeons' scrub rooms, nurses' workroom and an instrument room. All of which are to be fully equipped. The whole of this department will have tiled floors and wall dadoes, while the upper wall surfaces and ceilings will be hard Keenes' cement, enameled.

The dadoes in the operating rooms themselves will be non-reflecting light grey tiles with white trim around the doors and openings.

Other wall tiling in this section will be hard-back white glazed tile especially suited to withstand the hard wear which surfaces in hospital workrooms are usually subjected to.

SUN ROOMS

In addition to the sun rooms at the south end of the private ward building on each floor there are two fine sun rooms on the fourth floor for the use of public ward patients. From the windows of these rooms splendid views are obtainable of the country, sea and mountains.

Church Cathedral Building fund were beneficiaries under the will of the late D. R. Ker. Bishop Schofield, on behalf of Christ Church, has been in communication with the Minister of Finance on the subject of removing succession duties from bequests.

Hon. John Hart had replied, according to the letter read to the board from the bishop, that there was strong probability of the legacies in such cases being made free of succession duty, and that the subject would be brought before the Legislature this session.

Charles Williams, a director, in commenting on the letter, said the regulations had proved a hardship to the hospital with several legacies.

The board decided to ask the min-

later to make the rebates retroactive, if legislation should be passed during the session.

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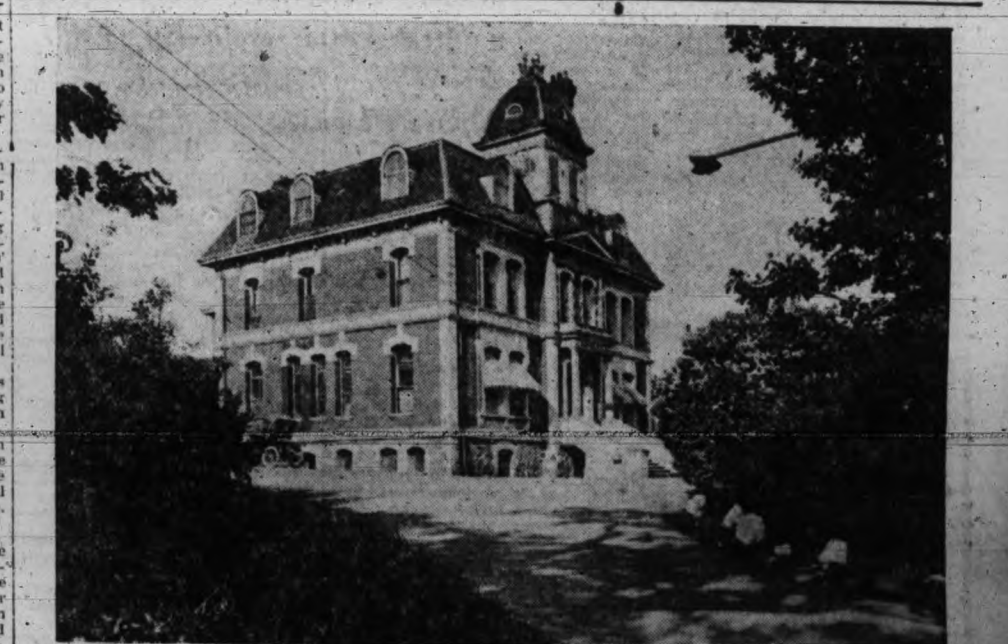
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THE EMERGENCY WARD

—Photograph by Chapman.



THE ADMINISTRATION BLOCK

When the Icelanders Came to Manitoba

Laura Goodman Salverson Writes a Graphic Story of the Hardships and Triumphs of Men and Women of the Far North Who Settled in Gimli in Seventies of the Last Century.

By PROFESSOR W. T. ALLISON

Laura Goodman Salverson, author of "The Viking Heart," is at present a resident of Calgary. She was born in Winnipeg of Icelandic parentage, and she has written her first long story about the coming of her people to the Canadian West in the early seventies of the last century. I have read this narrative with great interest, especially as she regards it, I am sure that anyone who regards it as a conventional novel, but as a romance of immigration and pioneer life, we feel that it is a valuable introduction not only to the life of the Icelandic people, who are regarded by Western Canadians as one of the best strains in our composite population. To Icelanders themselves, to the sons and grandsons, the daughters and granddaughters of the men and women who came here in the early seventies, this story will be more thrilling than one of their own sagas of the island home of their race, for here we have a story of men and women who, not mythical heroes, not the Vikings of a thousand years ago, but real flesh and blood men and women, who, in the face of hardships and dangers, have made a home for themselves in the far north of Canada. The story is told in a simple, direct, and unadorned manner, but it is a story of great interest and value to all who are interested in the life of the Icelandic people.

VOLCANIC OUTBURST

IN ICELAND

Mrs. Salverson devotes the first forty-eight pages of her story to a description of the homeland and family of Einar Halsson in Iceland, the land of the midnight sun. It is an idyl of simple beauty. "At the edge of the world," she begins, "the sun had dipped his glowing face in a jade sea and the Summer twilight had descended—the sun shone faintly of the land of the midnight sun." Here, near the base of a mountain, an extinct volcano, for strange as it may seem, there are still volcanoes in that northern land of ice and snow. The little farm of Einar Halsson, and into this remote part of the world, to this tiny farmstead, came news of Western Canada—a fine country with a single hayland sometimes as big as all Iceland, a fertile land where the seasons were long, with the sun shining the year around.

Einar and Gudrun, his wife, and their son, Carl, and his daughters, Borga and Helga, had talked of this new country one night and had gone to bed to dream of its sunlit hayfields when they were suddenly awakened by a terrible shaking of the earth. They looked towards the mountain and saw that black clouds of smoke were rising from the mountain side. Almost before they could escape from the house a volley of explosions occurred and an avalanche of rock and lava was being hurled down the mountain side. They escaped by boat, but Carl, who went back to look after his sheep and perished with them in the lava. Einar pulled at his ears as only those who are bred to the water can. Behind him was a belching furnace, ruined hopes and

MRS. COFFMAN'S SEVEN YEARS

Saved from an Operation by Lydia E. Finkham's Vegetable Compound

Sidell, Ill.—"I was a nervous wreck. I was suffering from a pain in my left side, which was almost unbearable, and I could not even let the bed clothing rest on my body at night. I had been sick for seven years, but not so bad until the last eighteen months, and had become so run-down that I cared for nobody, and I could not live. I could not do my work without help, and the doctors told me that an operation was all there was left. I would not consent to that, so my husband brought me a bottle of Lydia E. Finkham's Vegetable Compound and begged me to take it. I have taken fourteen bottles of it and I feel ten years younger. Life is full of hope. I do all my housework and had a large garden this year. I never will be without the Vegetable Compound in my house, and when my two little girls reach womanhood I intend to teach them to take it. I am never too busy to tell some suffering sister of my help, and you can use my name and letter to spread the good news of Lydia E. Finkham's medicines."—Mrs. L. M. Coffman, R. B. 2, Sidell, Ill.

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G.H. REDMAN

Arcade Bldg. Tailor to Men and Women.

zens were splashing in bathrooms with tile floors. The prairie country was being invaded by settlers from Ontario and prosperity had reached as far as the Lindal homestead near Gimli. In the latter half of the book financial troubles and hardships of the young people as they are seen taking their places in the social fabric. No doubt this part of the narrative will be followed with interest by younger readers, but to me Mrs. Salverson's story of the upward climb of the first generation of the Icelandic settlers in Manitoba is the

more interesting. Judged by the usual standards, "The Viking Heart" lacks some of the structural qualities that we look for in a piece of fiction. The purpose of the author, however, was not to supply us with a close-knit, sensational romance but to depict some of the things her countrymen have accomplished in the land of their adoption, and in this she has been eminently successful. She has made a picturesque contribution to the history of the settlement of the Canadian West, and her volume has a permanent value. It stands along with Mr. W. J. Healy's "Women of the Red River" among the social annals of Manitoba.

STEPHEN LEACOCK

MAKING PARIS UNDERSTAND YOU

The Technique of Obtaining a "Fantasia" From a Boulevard Tailor

"Take it from me," said my friend from Kansas, leaning back in his seat at the Tavern Royal and holding his cigar in his two fingers, "don't talk no French here in Paris. They don't expect it, and they don't seem to understand it."

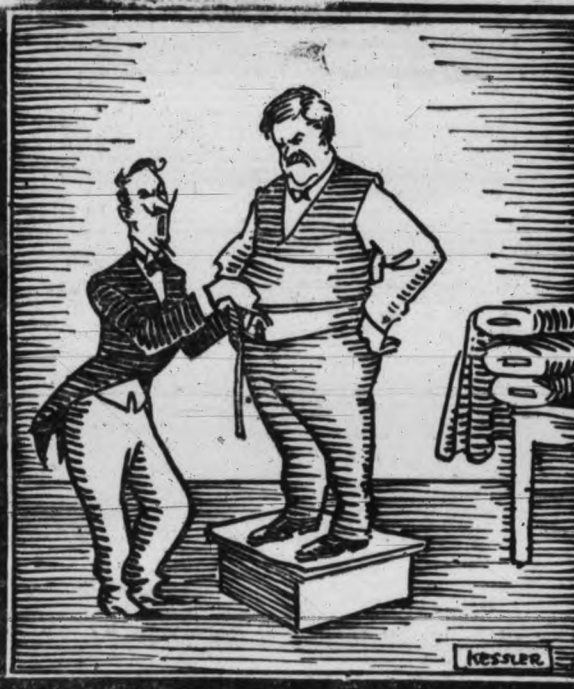
This man from Kansas, mind you, had a right to speak. He knew French. Long before the war, he had learned French—he had told me so himself—good French, at the Fayetteville Classical Academy. Later on he had had the natural method of a man from New Orleans. He had cost him "fifty cents a throw." All this I have on my own word. But in France something seemed to go wrong with his French. It was "No," he said reflectively, "I guess what most of them speak here is a sort of patois."

When he said it was a patois, I knew just what he meant. It was to it. Thus, for example, I had a tremendous linguistic struggle in a French tailor's shop. There was a sign in the window to the effect that "completes" might be had for a hundred francs. It seemed a chance not to be missed. More over the same sign said that English was spoken. So I went in. True to my usual principle of ignoring the French language, I said to the head man: "You speak English?"

He shrugged his shoulders, spread out his hands and looked at the clock on the wall. "Presently," he said. "Oh," I said, "but why not speak to me now?" The tailor again looked at the clock with a despairing shrug. At twelve o'clock, he said. "Come now," I said, "he said about this. I don't want to wait an hour

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The tailor ran his tape around the major circumference and shouted, "A hundred and fifty!"

equivalent to saying that he couldn't understand it. I had seen him strike patois before. There had been French at the man from Kansas, after a couple of attempts, had said it was no use talking French to that man. He spoke patois, straight patois. There were half a dozen cabin passengers, too, returning to their homes in France. But we soon found from listening to their conversation that what they were speaking was not French but some sort of patois.

DETECTING PATOIS

It was the same thing coming through Normandy. Patois, every where, not a word of French—not a single sentence of the real language. In the way they talked. Everybody. We stopped off a day at Rouen to look at the Cathedral. A sort of abbot showed us round. I could not believe it, that man spoke patois, straight patois—the very worst kind, and fast. The man from Kansas had spotted it at once. He hadn't listened to more than ten sentences before he recognized it. "Patois," he said.

Of course, it's fine to be able to detect patois like this. It's impressive. The more fact that you know the word patois shows that you must be mighty well educated. Here in Paris it was the same way. Everybody that the man from Kansas tried—waiters, hotel clerks, shop people—all spoke patois. An educated person couldn't follow it. On the whole, I think the advice I got was to stick to English. When you come to Paris, do as the Douboys did, and leave French behind. You don't need it, and they don't expect it of you. In any case, you soon learn from experience not to use it.

TRYING IT ON THE WAITER

If you try to, this is what happens. You summon a waiter to you and you say to him very slowly, syllable by syllable, so as to give him every chance in case he's got an educated man: "Bring me a glass of the soup, de la soupe."

And he answers: "Yes sir, roast pork, sir, and a little bacon on the side." That waiter was raised in Illinois or somewhere, and he said to me: "Mushoo, s'il vous plait, which is la direction pour aller le Palais Royal?"

Well, I tell you, I'm something of a stranger here myself, but I guess it's straight down there—a piece. On the other hand you may strike a real Frenchman—there are some even in Paris. I met one the other day in trying to find my way about, and I asked him: "Mushoo, s'il vous plait, which is la direction pour aller a Thomas Dook & Son?"

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CARDENS AND WILD FLOWERS

By ROBERT CONNELL

The flowers of the lily family have a beauty of their own. It consists in part in their symmetry, their divisions being in threes and sixes. In part it is due to the peculiar gracefulness of their lines: smooth stems, drooping flowers, slender straight veined leaves, in so many of them. The clear pure white, yellow and occasional pinks unite color to the fragrance which is usually (though not always) a marked feature. Our Spring lilies (Corydalis grandiflora), or dog foot violets with their white flower marked with yellow and maroon are replaced further North on the Island by a variety with clear rose pink blossoms a little smaller and with greener leaves. The trilliums or wake robbers, meanwhile in the Spring grace the damp and shady places in the woods, with their large snow white corolla blossoms rising from the centre of a threefold leaf. From experience I can say no wild flower gives better value for transplanting than the trillium. It is easily moved and increases from year to year. It is a lengthy bloomer as the flowers, first white, fade away through pink to a purple before they die. The canna comes in great sheets of a rather metallic blue across the grasslands such as the Uplands, contrasting well with the contemporary anemone buttercups. It is the American representative of the British wild hyacinth or bluebell. From Idaho and Utah it extends its habitat to the Coast. The Indians have always greatly prized its bulb as an article of food. The white succulent bulbs are laid upon heated stones and embers in a small pit, covered over with grass and earth, and left in this simple cooker for about a day and a half when they are ready for use. Our local species, Camassia quamash and leichlinii, range as far South as Northern California. The solution of it struck me. I do not know that the white settlers make any use of these wild onions but some species have certainly been found delicious and are in room for experimentation. On the only occasion that I remember when the camp firing pan demanded onion soup, I found the wild onions in the field and grassy summits of rocky eminences. When bruised the odor of each flower was marked by the clear brown water swirling through the narrow channels and potholes with the energy that is marked by great masses of snowy spume. In one large pothole, a current entered from the main stream on one side, whirled about the enclosure with wild abandon, and issues forth on the other side to rejoin the parent flow. Further down the river, passing through this rugged and honeycombed waterway series, the water is still more turbulent, the cliffs, whose perpendicular faces rise thirty to forty feet above the stream. The Sooke River in cutting away these rocks has taken advantage of two geological features. One is the ellipsoidal character of the lava, so that the dislodgement of one of these pillow-like masses has made the excavation of a pothole an easy work when armed with the sand and gravel, pebbles and small boulders of the flood-load. The other is the presence of innumerable crevices more or less parallel to the general trend of the river, and at least one dyke of invading dolerite. The height to which the river rises in the rainy season is evidenced by the great piles of driftwood and tree trunks which lie piled up many feet above the present level of the river. In the cracks of the rock at this height may be seen the pebbles which have been driven in as by innumerable hammers by the torrential waters.

THE WILD ONIONS

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THE LILIES OF THE FIELD

The lovely little wild Lily of the Valley, Maianthemum biflorum, with its sweet scented flowers leads a long row of charming cousins. The Fritillaria, with its bell-shaped racemes, tall with beautiful spikes of small white flowers is one of the glories of our woods, while the modestly timid is Fairy Bells, Disporum oregonum, with its clustered flowers which droop below, and the rather abruptly pointed flowering spike is pretty as it dots the meadows in early Summer. In the long grass, loving especially a rich fertile corner is the Tiger Lily, Lilium pardalinum. It has orange colored drooping flowers with recurved petals, and is a wild flower that does well in a garden. Finally the rock is brought up by a large and showy plant, the False Hellebore, Veratrum viride. Reaching a height of six or seven feet it makes a fine object by the bank of a stream in one of our deep valleys.

sez le tape line autour de moi." He did it. I don't know what it is they measure you in, whether in centimetres or cubic feet or what it is. But the effect is appalling. The tailor runs his tape round your neck and says, "A hundred and fifty." He puts it round the major circumference and shouts, "A hundred and fifty." It sounded a record breaker. I felt that there should have been a burst of applause. But to tell the truth, I have friends—quiet sedentary men, the professorial—who would easily hit up four or five hundred on the same scale. Then came the last item. "How long will this complete be ready?" "Ah, monsieur," said the tailor, with winsome softness, "we are very busy crushed, ceased with demands! Give us time, don't hurry us!" "Well," I said, "how long do you want?" "Ah, monsieur," he pleaded, "give us four days!" I never moved an eyelash. A BARGAIN IN MINUTES

Then I said indignantly, "four days! Monsieur, I have this whole complete fantasy in one day or I won't buy it." "Ah, monsieur, three days!" "No," I said, "make it two days." "Two days and a half, monsieur." "Two days and a quarter," I said. "Give it to me the day after tomorrow at three o'clock in the morning!" "Ah, monsieur, ten o'clock." "Make it ten minutes to ten and it's a go," I said. "Yes," said the tailor. He kept his word. I am wearing the fantasy as I write. For a fantasy, it is fairly quiet, except that it has three colors. It is a First-class, steady, reliable, quiet, religious fantasy, such as any retired French ballet master might be proud to wear.

QUICK WITH THE TAPE

I thanked him. Then I said: "Mesure me, mesyres-moi, pas."

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RAMBLES ROUND VICTORIA

OUR SCENERY AND ITS HISTORY

By ROBERT CONNELL

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THE DEVIL'S POT HOLES

We were beginning to wonder just where was the Sooke River Canon which none of the three of us had seen. Suddenly we noticed on a tree a little below the railway a small noticeboard, but it was not decipherable at the distance. Following a faint pathway we were soon able to read: "To the Devil's Pot Holes." Nothing was as yet visible; only we could hear the "noise of many waters." But suddenly there broke upon us at our feet the view of a bare stretch of pale bluish rock, a hundred feet across by several hundred in length. Through it the river falling from the high level has cut a sinuous channel through the lava beds to a depth of many feet. The force of the water armed at foot times with ice and sand and gravel which it bears down from the upper reaches of its course has done this immense work of excavation, and is still engaged in it. One fine and comparatively rainless Fall weather has not provided the usual November-freshets, but last Saturday the clear brown waters were swirling through the narrow channels and potholes with the energy that is marked by great masses of snowy spume. In one large pothole, a current entered from the main stream on one side, whirled about the enclosure with wild abandon, and issues forth on the other side to rejoin the parent flow. Further down the river, passing through this rugged and honeycombed waterway series, the water is still more turbulent, the cliffs, whose perpendicular faces rise thirty to forty feet above the stream. The Sooke River in cutting away these rocks has taken advantage of two geological features. One is the ellipsoidal character of the lava, so that the dislodgement of one of these pillow-like masses has made the excavation of a pothole an easy work when armed with the sand and gravel, pebbles and small boulders of the flood-load. The other is the presence of innumerable crevices more or less parallel to the general trend of the river, and at least one dyke of invading dolerite. The height to which the river rises in the rainy season is evidenced by the great piles of driftwood and tree trunks which lie piled up many feet above the present level of the river. In the cracks of the rock at this height may be seen the pebbles which have been driven in as by innumerable hammers by the torrential waters.

FLOWERS AND FERNS

The bare rocks of the Devil's Pot Holes do not look a very hopeful place for the botanist. Yet they provide of great interest. A bluebell (Campanula medium) grows in its beautiful blossom above the waters, and many of the plants, flowers, were to be seen in the crevices. Lilies are abundant, lining its woody roots deep into the larger cracks. A small plant of the Dwarf Blueberry was surrounded with its golden bell-shaped berries. The Goat's Beard (Aruncus sylvestris) grows in the more secluded hollows of the rocks, also the Anemone were also to be found in the little sandy basins which here and there escape by an overhanging rockface the scouring of the flood. Here too were many plants of St. John's Wort, Hypericum anagallodes. About the upper levels the Parsley Fern shows its light green foliage, the fertile fronds being brown with a Summer's age, while

the cliff faces were full of small Maidenhair Ferns, still brown from the heat of Summer. Leaving the Pot Hole we passed across the railway upwards to the Sooke Lake way on which there are some magnificent rock cuts. Here we found rather common fern, the Cliff Brake, Pellaea densa, very abundant. It is ten years since I saw it last at the foot of Mill Hill, and I was delighted to find it once more with its sage green leaves and its ferny smell which it shares so markedly with the Bracken. Conspicuous on these hillsides of rock was the rather sufficient Manzanita, the silvery green of the Manzanita.

THE SALMON

After a delightful walk South along the pipe line which is becoming the favorite residence of the alders we began the downward descent to the river. The valley was already in the purple shade of late afternoon while Trap Mountain was golden in the sun's rays. Against the gloom below could be seen the white gleam of gulls' wings and the cries of the sea fowl echoed among the hills. Reaching the old Sooke River trail at last we soon knew the reason for the presence. A faint odor of stale fish whispered a tale which the sight of the river confirmed. Here in these lower reaches so different in the quiet murmur from the noise and confusion of the Pot Holes and salmon, were countless great salmon, scarcely moving as they lay with upstream pointing head. Now and then the movement of a tail could be seen or there came the splash of some more lively fish. They have come here for the spawning and now lie weak and exhausted, great numbers of them persisting ere they reach the living waters of the deep. In places their numbers were so great that nothing was to be seen

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THE SALMON

After a delightful walk South along the pipe line which is becoming the favorite residence of the alders we began the downward descent to the river. The valley was already in the purple shade of late afternoon while Trap Mountain was golden in the sun's rays. Against the gloom below could be seen the white gleam of gulls' wings and the cries of the sea fowl echoed among the hills. Reaching the old Sooke River trail at last we soon knew the reason for the presence. A faint odor of stale fish whispered a tale which the sight of the river confirmed. Here in these lower reaches so different in the quiet murmur from the noise and confusion of the Pot Holes and salmon, were countless great salmon, scarcely moving as they lay with upstream pointing head. Now and then the movement of a tail could be seen or there came the splash of some more lively fish. They have come here for the spawning and now lie weak and exhausted, great numbers of them persisting ere they reach the living waters of the deep. In places their numbers were so great that nothing was to be seen

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EASILY REACHED

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DR. PAUL V. WINSLOW, of New York State Hospital, has found that the value of radio cannot be over-estimated in the treatment of deaf people, and it is claimed many marvelous cures have resulted from its use.

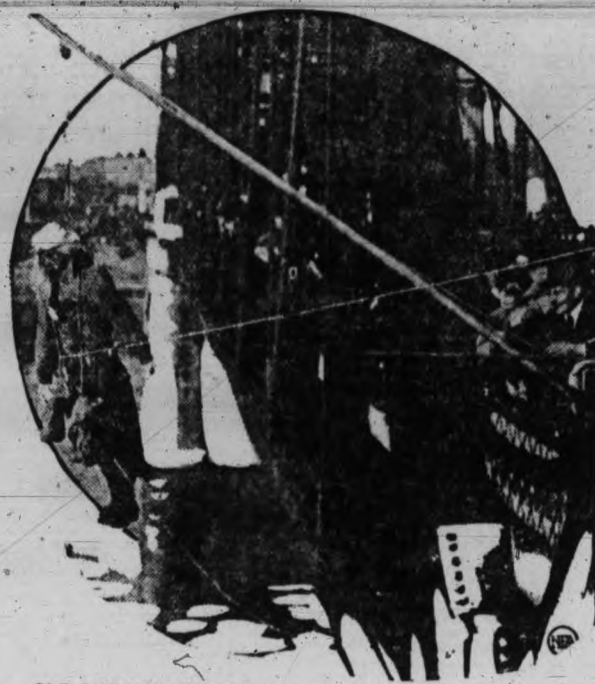


SEEING THE COAST A LA '49.—Tourists between Seattle and San Diego are getting quite a shock these days. Along the highway, they are coming across a covered wagon, logging along at a snail's pace. But it holds its own on the road. For its occupants are women, save one little boy. They're Mrs. Metcalf Shaw, her daughters, Miss Gertrude Metcalf Shaw and Mrs. Marion Mantor and Baby Jack Mantor, all of Seattle. San Diego is their destination. It is a lot more fun "caravanning" by wagon than by auto, they say.



AS RARE AS A DODO.—Introducing the Fossa from Madagascar. It was presented to the London Zoo, and was caught only after a search lasting two years for one of the specie.

SCHOOL DAYS BY DWIG



OLD DETOUR'S DEMISE.—It is the execution of "Old Man Detour." Weighted down with broken auto springs and battered detour signs, he is being dropped to his final resting place in the waters of the Columbia river, near Portland, Ore. His execution is making the new Pacific Highway, from the Canadian to the Mexican borders, a reality. The road is 2,000 miles long.



SCOTT PHEILS.—A healthy youngster, of twelve who would rather bake cakes than play baseball! To him the kitchen appeals far more than the diamond or gridiron. Every since he was eight, Scott has been mixing up toothsome pastries. And to-day he is the champion cake baker of Northern Ohio. His delectable devil's food won him the decision in a recent contest over several hundred women competitors—women who pride themselves on their cake-baking abilities. But cake baking isn't his only achievement. His teachers say he is mighty with the brush and water colors. "I'd rather be a baker than an artist, though," Scott declares.



RECALLS THE EASTLAND.—The Richard Wolford sank along-side of Newcastle Quay, Newcastle, England, recently, while discharging cargo. It was successfully raised by salvage contractors in three hours. The view recalls the famous Eastland case in the Chicago river, but is different in that this case involved no loss of life.



LIVING PERHAPS 25,000 YEARS AGO.—At the top is the crypt whence the Aboriginal Americans were exhumed the other day at Santa Barbara, Calif., and at the bottom is the giant skull of the "Santa Barbara man," himself.



CAPT. BRUCE BAIRNSFATHER, celebrated British cartoonist, is visiting Canada and the United States.

BACK IN WASHINGTON.—Mrs. William A. McAdoo and her daughters, Ellen Wilson, left, and Mary Faith. They are visiting Mrs. McAdoo's father, Woodrow Wilson. This photo was taken at the former president's 8 Street home, Washington. The McAdoo's again are in the limelight as the 1924 campaign approaches. McAdoo is mentioned as the most likely Democratic White House possibility.



W. GELAVES DOYLE, representative in Europe of the League of Nations Society for Canada, is dead at Leamington, Spa, England.



RALPH PEQUEMAT, Toronto Varsity half-back, played a stellar game against Queen's at Kingston last week.

FREDERICK WILLIAM, for mer "crown prince" of Germany, has returned to his native land after five years of exile.



WASTING TIME.—Too many Canadian girls are wasting their time on the golf links, according to Lady Byng of Vimy.



PUTTING PUNCH INTO ART.—Boxing gloves keep Miss Winifred Dongworth, Britain's miniature artist, in condition. She spends an hour a day in the gym, and has become an expert with the punching bag.

A PAGE OF INTEREST TO CHILDREN

Limericks Closing With Next Week

Running now for the past few months, the Limerick contest closes with the Adventures of Patience at Plymouth. So this is the last opportunity of entering for the contest. In the eleven successive weeks past the Limerick competition has awakened greater interest than any other competition staged for our Little Readers this year. Many hundreds of letters were received, and though only one prize could be offered each week, the standard of the entries was maintained at a high mark throughout the entire contest.

The winner of the Limerick issued last week is Willie Gornall, a seven-year-old resident at 2352 Todd Road. "Wilbur," his courage ebbed through his boot-tops like the strange pup so little that he decided to do without supper, declared the prize winner.

Other excellent lines were contributed by Betty Moore, Muriel Smith, Beryl Noakes, May Hodgkinson, Joan Earl, Kenneth Hinch, Pauline and Dorothy Mountain, Muriel McLennan, Mary Wormald, Phyllis Earp, Carol Williams, Kathleen Baker, Maud Jones, Robert and Joan Gornall, Edwin Moore, Philip Smith, Drusella O'Neill, Alex Urquhart and Gladys Kinney.

THIS WEEK'S WINNER

On a wild weed patch Wilbur was cast.
The natives he sure did "lambast"
Then came a strange pup, and he made him "ship" up;
At supper time, said he, "I'll Fast!"

My name is Willie Gornall.
My age is Seven years
My address is 2352 Todd Road

Next week keep your eyes open for the Tangletown series. The Limerick slip will continue, but after this week's Limerick there will be no more prizes. That is, after one more winner has been selected the Limericks will pass out of the contest class and remain as a pleasure for an idle hour. Tangletown is in the heart of Topsy-Turvy Land and is a lively little place. Keep your eye on Tangletown next week.

Now, one more opportunity of being a Limerick winner. Who is going to capture the last award to be offered for that honor? Remember to write clearly—and include—name and address. Study the pictures carefully, and find a line that fits the action, and at the same time that conveys a bright idea.

CLOSING COUPON

When Patience at Plymouth was living,
Such peeling and mixing and sieving
And baking was done
Until every one
Supply a line here

My name is

My age is

My address is

Nature's Creatures Prepare For Winter

The little red squirrel was never an idler. All his life he had been busy about something. Just now he was busy as never before, for though the weather was fine and the air clear, he knew that Winter would not delay and that one day he would awake in the hole of his tree home to find a white mantle of snow all over the ground. Gone then would be the fine green pine cones, with the sweet, tender morsels of food they contained. Gone, too, would be the beech nut, and the hundred and one little tit-bits that a squirrel can find in forest lanes.

Therefore was the red squirrel busy as never before this year. Likewise his companions were busy, each carrying to his home the store of nuts that were still to be found in numbers lying on the ground. The work was useful, and difficult too. You see, the first faint tinge of frost in the air had sent Autumn leaves tumbling down to form a brown-red mantle for the ground. Half hidden away under this cloak of foliage were the tit-bits that the squirrels needed for their Winter store. Thus from daylight to dark little red furry creatures were working, stopping only to rest, to eat, or to stop to last them for that day.

When Winter came in real earnest the squirrels would take to the depths of the hollow trees and cuddle up in a downy nest. Nearby would be such a store of nuts, pine cones, and other morsels of food that it would excite your wonder to know how they carried such a quantity of food away to their lairs. Though Winter winds would howl outside, the squirrels would be warm, and fed. High up on the side of the hill, the brown bear was doing the same thing in a very different way. Nature decreed that such a large animal as the bear would have to go to sleep for the greater part of the cold months. Thus the bear, who would supply of food inside him that would serve to keep him warm and fed until Spring winds chased Winter snows off the face of the land once more.

The bear, and his fellows, might have seemed greedy to you, Little Reader, as he stuffed himself after morsels of food into his wide capable jaws; but he was not greedy. His was a very hungry need. If morsels goes without food for a few brief hours hunger comes with its insistent gnawing call for food. The

bear has a whole long Winter to starve, for even though he sleeps his body must be kept alive by some form of food.

So the bear eats and eats until you might wonder that his brown, long-haired fur would still contain the rapidly increasing dimensions of his body. His food is stored away in the form of fat, and it is this fat that keeps the bear alive in his Winter solitude.

The honey bee and his companions make similar provision for the lean months, by storing away honey on which to live. If we take the honey away from a beehive we must give the bees sugar to keep them alive in the cold months of the year, when the sun grows weak and the flowers bury their heads under a mantle of pure white snow.

The pack rat, the field mouse, and many other of Nature's creatures make similar provision for the Winter. It is the wolves and creatures of that type that have to stay awake all Winter and seek a scanty prey in the difficult lanes of chase. Living for the panther, the wolf, and the coyote is lean in Winter, and the harder the Winter the more desperate do these preys become. Closer and closer to the settlements they come until it is no uncommon sight to find the wild creatures of Nature right inside the fences of mankind, preying on domestic flocks of birds and the smaller animals.

The birds and the beasts of the fields have only instinct to guide them in their provision for the future. Yet a kind Nature guides them unerringly in their efforts.

Peter, Who Saved the Dyke

(From the Travel-Tot Tales, by Beesie Toulouse Sprague, Reilly and Lee Publishers.)

Many, many years ago there lived in Holland a little boy named Peter. Peter's father tended the great gates of the canal and day after day Peter watched the ships pass through the canal into the sea.

The dyke was Peter's playground. Many times he had heard his father tell of the great flood from the sea which would pass over the land if the dyke was not kept in the dyke. The little boy's heart always throbbed with thankfulness when he saw the men who watched and guarded the dykes going on their rounds, to make sure that no danger threatened.

One day, when Peter was eight years old, his mother called him to her. "I want you to take this basket to your grandmother," she said, "and hurry dear, it's growing dark."

Peter's grandmother lived almost a mile away, on the bank of the dyke. You can imagine his ready little figure hurrying along, on the errand his wooden shoes fairly twinkling in his haste.

Grandmother was at home and glad to see the little boy. She kissed his round face and filled his little hands with sweet cookies. "Hurry home, child, don't linger on the way,"



she said to him. "See it is dark already, and your good mother will be worried."

So Peter hurried back along the dyke. He stopped to look at the mighty gray sea. "You are a wicked old thing," he said to the sea, "just as you are the Lutholst church, he fell right down, with a leer and a lurch, and had it not been for the Tangletown people, he might have got caught on the top of the steeple. But, watching the people,

he said to himself, "See it is dark already, and your good mother will be worried."

His fears were true. A tiny hole already in the dyke, and the water from the sea came trickling through to the land.

Peter was only a tiny little eight-year-old boy, but he knew at a

glance what that little trickle meant. Before he could run for help the leak would widen from a tiny trickle to a great torrent, which would sweep away the dyke and the sea would flood in over all the land.

As quick as thought, Peter thrust his arm into the dyke. It was the only thing he could do.

Black grew the night. The little boy could hear the grumbling roar of the mighty sea giant. It seemed to laugh at him and say: "Ha! You the such a puny weakling and you think that your tiny arm can hold back the great ocean, but you cannot stand against me. Your arm will go to sleep and you will dry like a baby for your mother and then I will come slipping in. I will conquer you and all your people. The land your

father fought for shall be mine."

But the brave little Peter did not answer. Instead he crouched close to the dyke, huddling his body close so that the great gray sea should not find even the thinnest spot to creep in.

Sometimes he called for help, but who could hear the frightened cry of the little boy when the sea screamed so wildly?

Sometimes Peter sang, just to keep up his courage, the old Dutch songs of courage and bravery. His little arm grew cold and stiff and it seemed to Peter that his back must break with cramp and pain.

The hours of the black night dragged slowly on. Maybe Peter cried for his mother. Poor, tired, frightened little boy! He dared not go to sleep, for at the slightest move

the sea would win. Back at his humble straw thatched home the hours passed slowly, too. The father had gone back and forth from his home to the grandmother's searching for his boy. The neighbors joined in the search, and Peter's mother, in her spotless kitchen, was on her knees pleading to the dear Father of us all to bring her boy safely home.

The first morning light crept over the land. The father was coming sadly home. He had to tell Peter's mother that their little boy could not be found. He thought that maybe the wind had swept his little boy into the cruel sea.

Suddenly from the searchers on ahead came a glad cry. "It is Peter! It is Peter!"

The tired little boy was lifted ten

FOR THE CHILDREN

The Sandman Story For To-night

MR. COON MAKES HIS WIFE A PRESENT

Mr. Coon had been out all night and he was going home empty-handed to Mrs. Coon and the children. He knew this was not a wise thing for him to do, but still it was now too light to go hunting for more chickens or anything else.

He had spent the night feasting himself on corn and entirely forgot that his wife had charged him not to do come home without something for breakfast.

Mr. Coon stood still in the path which ran through the woods and scratched his head, his eyes staring into the thicket. Not that he expected to see anything that would help him out of his trouble, but because he was wondering what would happen to him when he reached home.

Suddenly he started and stooped down with both hands on his knees. And this time he was staring at something he saw in the thicket—something that shone as the stray

light struck it through the leaves.

Mrs. Coon loved shiny things and Mr. Coon crept under the bushes and picked up what he saw. It was a piece of mirror. Mr. Coon looked at it and grinned and saw that the face in the mirror grinned, too.

"Ah," he said, "I know this will

have a present for you and I am certain no acquaintance of yours have anything like it."

He showed her the mirror and Mr. Coon began to smile. "How lovely," she said, taking it from her husband and placing it on the table against the wall.

She turned her head to one side and then the other. She turned around and looked over her shoulder and presently she began to dance little steps and hum.

She kept it up so long that Mr. Coon wondered if she would ever get her work done. But being tired he went to bed and was soon sound asleep.

He was awakened by a chattering of voices and looking through the crack of his bedroom door, Mr. Coon saw the wives of all his neighbors taking turns at looking at themselves in the mirror.

That night there was no supper on the table, though there was a fat chicken in the pantry to cook. Mrs. Coon sat in front of the mirror admiring herself, while the children sprawled all over the floor asleep.

This went on for several days until Mr. Coon wondered after all if he would have been better off if he had taken the scolding that morning instead of bringing home the mirror.

And this was not all of his troubles for his neighbors blamed him for having a mirror in his house which enticed their wives away from their household duties and their families.

But one morning when he awoke the mirror was gone. Mr. Coon discovered this when he got up. And

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fearing his wife would blame him, he made a terrible ado over it.

"Someone who was jealous because you owned such a beautiful shiny piece has stolen it, I am afraid," said Mr. Coon.

Mrs. Coon wept and walked, but the mirror could not be found. Later in the day, however, Mr. Coon learned what had happened. He saw all of his neighbors in the woods some distance away and saw them breaking something with a stone.

"We will tear and feather him if he brings another one into the woods," said one. Another said, "I have cooked my own dinner ever since my wife found out about that shiny thing."

Mr. Coon crept softly away. He knew that as far as he was concerned there would never be another looking glass brought into the woods. He would take a scolding next time, but no presents would he bring home.

DIDN'T WANT THE JOB

A teacher who was giving the children written exercises, wrote out this "Wanted" advertisement:

"Wanted—A Milliner. Apply by letter to Miss Smith, 19 Blank street. The children had to make applications for the position in writing.

One youngster wrote:

"Dear Miss Smith—I saw you want a milliner. I hate to trim hats. Can't you get somebody else? Please let me know at once. Edith Brown."

Grand Falls, in Labrador, is the highest waterfall in the world. It is 2,000 feet high.

One night last week the cuckoo felt it had earned a holiday. It suited the action to its thought, and took a night off. Promptly at midnight it left its clock and after a minor delay flew out of the house into the broad air lanes of the night.

There it had spent six hours in chasing moths and sporting itself in the light of the moon. But on its return the cuckoo had a slight cough. You see it had quite forgot that these cold nights the furnace was running at full blast, and that the air outside the house, was very much colder than usual.

The cough developed into a throaty wheeze, and as we have seen, the loss of its finely modulated voice, was a serious worry to the little white bird.

Now the loss of its voice was a serious worry to the little white bird. Its only mission was to call off the hours, and if it lost its power of song it could not do its duty. Indeed who could imagine a cuckoo clock announcing the hours in the vulgar tones of a crow?

It would not be tolerated for a minute. Father Time, kind but impatient old man that he was, would surely hear it and be very cross.

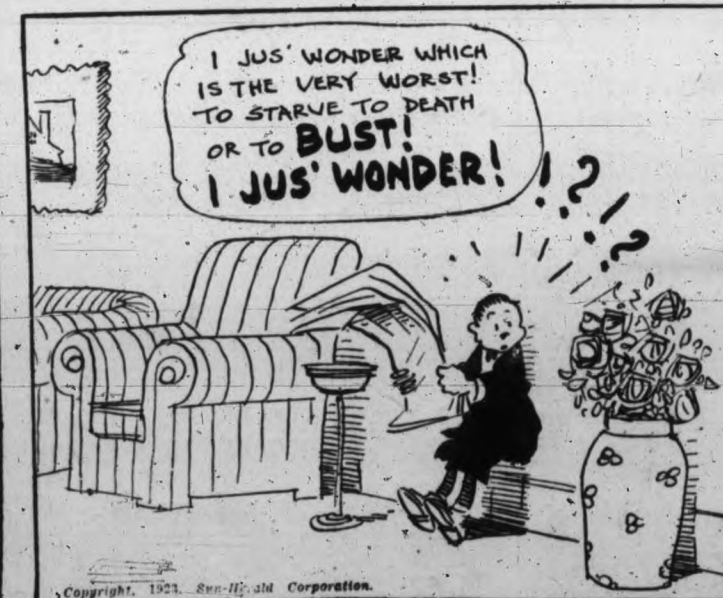
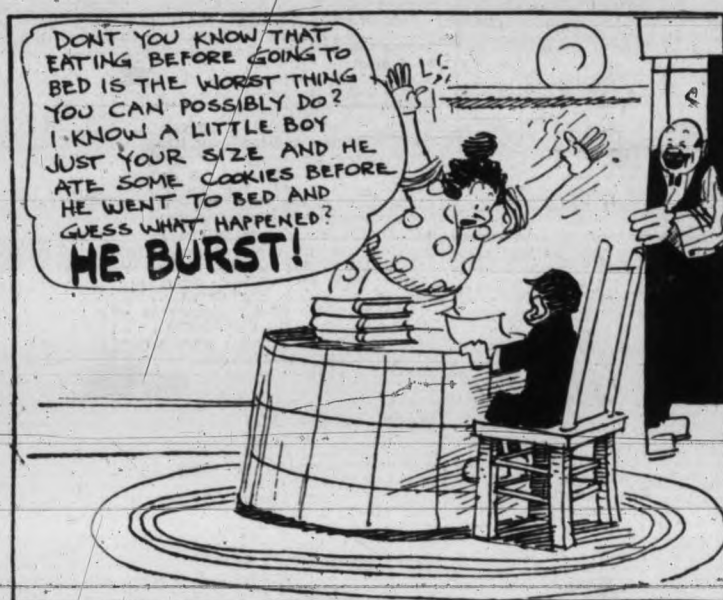
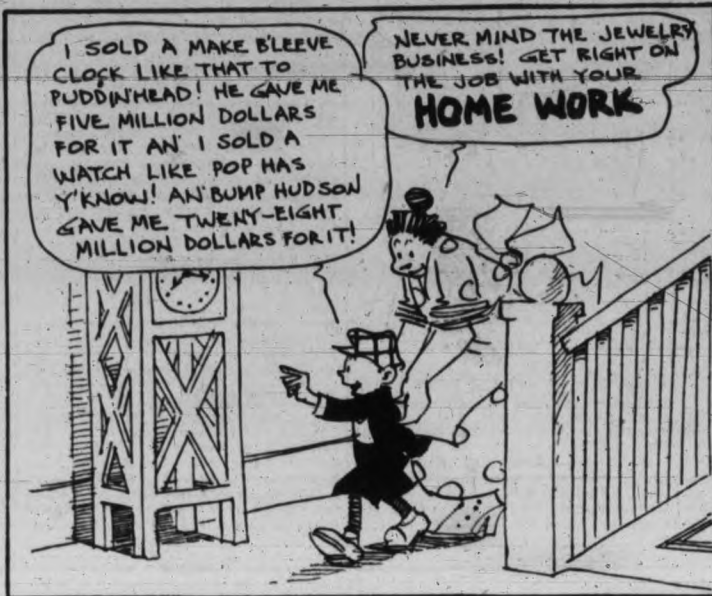
In due course Father Time did hear of the mishap to the cuckoo's voice. He made a personal inspection of the clock, and said that it must be moved from its hanging and placed in a warmer room. The room that the old gentleman selected for the clock changed to be the nursery, which was kept at both night and day.

The cuckoo had caught its cold, clearly, he reasoned, because it was affected by the drafty passages of the living-room door.

So the change was made. From the wall on which it had hung for a quarter of a century the clock was taken down. A brand new nail was driven in the nursery wall, and there the clock was hung. After a momentary inspection to see that it was ticking correctly, Father Time left it to its own device. He did not wait to see what effect

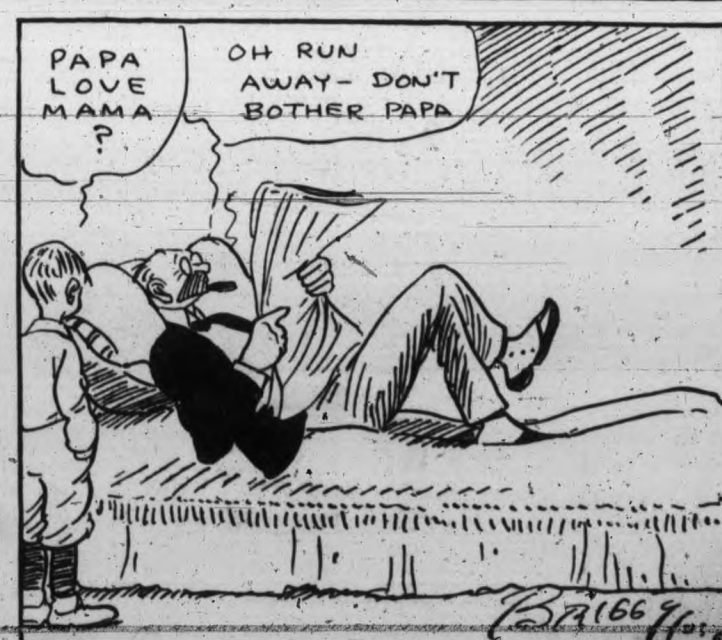
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QUEEN ALEXANDRA REVIEW AT BANQUET

The regular meeting of Queen Alexandra Review, W.B.A., was held in the K. of P. Hall on Thursday evening, Commander Mrs. Bloor presiding. Much business was transacted in the short session held, and several visiting members were present.

At the close of the meeting a banquet was held, almost 100 members and guests taking part.

The Review Collector, Mrs. Ritchie, spoke of the splendid work of the Supreme Commander, Miss Rina M. West, and of her lovely qualities and business capacity; of the untiring efforts of the Supreme Record Keeper, Miss Frances D. Partridge; of the wonderful work of the Supreme Medical Adviser, Dr. Fifield, and of all the other supreme officers. Mrs. Ritchie moved, and Mrs. Loring seconded a motion that the following night letter be sent to Miss West: "We, the officers and members of Queen Alexandra Review, at banquet board assembly, convey to you and your associate officers heartiest congratulations on

the marvelous achievements of the past year, and sincere wishes for your continued health and success." The motion was carried unanimously.

Mrs. Loring, Lieut.-Commander, ably responded to the toast.

The toast to the W.B.A. was given by the Senior Post Commander, Mrs. Ricketts. She said that it was only thirty-one years since Miss West started the W.B.A., and now there is a membership of nearly 500,000 members.

Mrs. Galbraith responded to this toast, and spoke of the Marathon Race which she had been privileged to attend.

Mrs. McLeod, Record Keeper of Victoria Review No. 1, proposed the toast to old members in place of Mrs. Morley, Commander of Victoria Review. She reminded the new members of their indebtedness to the old members. Mrs. Hovey an old W.B.A. member, ably responded.

The company then adjourned to the large hall where Mrs. Ogilvy, Mr. Edmunds and Mrs. Ogilvy delighted them with their songs. A community sing brought a very enjoyable evening to a close.

Mrs. Bloor, Jr., was accompanist for the soloists, and Miss Hallam played for the community sing.

THE STEP ON THE STAR

BY ANNA KATHARINE GREEN
Author of "The Leavenworth Case," "The Filigree Ball," "The Mystery of the Hasty Arrow," Etc.

Dr. Hunter spoke in response and Orpha smiled and I believe I uttered some words myself when they all looked my way; but there was no service from one he so deeply loved without the intention of seeing him made happy in the end. And what to his mind, could so insure that blessing as a final union between the two most dear to him?

In secret trepidation I waited for the second and still more profound hush which would follow another high-lifting of the glass in Edgar's hand. But it did not come. The ceremony, or whatever you might call it, was over, and Orpha sat there, beaming and serene and so far as appearances were, free to be loved and loved.

And then it came to me with sudden and strong conviction that Uncle would never have countenanced such a blow to my hopes, which he had roused as well as greatly encouraged—without giving me some warning that his mind had again changed. He did not love me—not with a hundredth part of the fervor with which he regarded Edgar—but he respected our relationship and must, unless he were a very different man from what I believed him to be, have an equal respect for the attachment I had professed for his daughter. He had sent me no warning, therefore I need fear no further move this night.

But to-morrow? Well, I would let to-morrow take care of itself. For this night I would, as I had done under the inspiration of this resolve, I felt a lightness of spirit which for the first time that evening allowed me to be my full and natural self. I looked at Orpha as she came to me for a moment together gave substance to this cheer. I did not understand it and I dared not give much weight to it, but from that time on the hours dragged less slowly.

At four o'clock precisely we three stood in an empty parlor.

"Now for Father!" cried Orpha. And with a kindly good-night to Edgar and an equally kindly one to me, she sped away and vanished upstairs leaving Edgar and myself alone together for the first time that evening.

It was an awkward moment for us both. I had no means of knowing what was in his mind and was equally ignorant of how much he knew of what was in mine. One thing alone was evident. The excitement of doing a difficult thing, possibly a heart-breaking thing, had ebbed with the disappearance of Orpha. He looked five years older and blind as I was to his motives or the secret springs of the action which had left him a desolate man, I could not but admit to myself with which he had carried off his bitter, self-sacrificing task. If he loved this stunning brunette as I loved Orpha he had my sympathy, whatever his motives, for the manner in which he had yielded her thus openly to another. But, by this time, I knew him well enough to recognize his mercenary, joy-seeking nature. In a month he would be the careless, happy-go-lucky fellow in whom everybody delighted.

"And Uncle? And Orpha? What of them?" Reminded thus of other sufferings than my own, I asked, with what calmness I could.

"Have you had any further news from upstairs?" I thought our uncle looked far from well when I saw him in the early evening.

"Wealthy sent for a doctor. I have not heard his report, was the somewhat curt answer I received. 'I am going up now,' he added. Then with continued restraint in his manner, he looked me full in the face and remarked, 'Of course you know that you are to remain here till Uncle considers himself well enough for you to go. You will explain the situation to your turn.' I am repeating Uncle's wish."

I nodded and he stepped to the foot of the stairs. But there he turned. "If you will make yourself comfortable in your room, he said, 'I will see that you receive that report as soon as I know it myself.' This ended our interview. Fifteen minutes later Wealthy ap-

peared at my door. She did not need to speak for me to foresee that dark days confronted us. But what she said was this:

"Miss Orpha is not to know the immediate danger; but he will never be a strong man again."

Of the next few days there is little to record. The night, be called non-betrayal days, leading nowhere unless it was to a growth of self-control in us all which made for a more equitable feeling throughout the house.

Of the couple whose enmeshment had been thus publicly proclaimed, I learned some further facts from Orpha, who showed no embarrassment in speaking of them.

(To be continued.)

NOW CONTROLS CIRCULATION OF 35,000,000

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his influence to every corner of England and Wales.

He is fifty-five years old—a small, quiet, self-complete man. For more than thirty years he was Northcliffe's partner and closest companion. It is generally known that most of Northcliffe's financial success was due to Rothmere.

He is the exact opposite of his brother in many ways. He is more practical—more of a business builder. He has no flair for publicity. He will not be likely to make a speech with stunts, as Northcliffe did. He is not a public speaker. He has been a member of the House of Lords for years, but he has never taken any part in the debates.

AN ADMINISTRATOR

Rothmere's abilities are in the line of organization and management. He would have made a good railway president, for instance, or a successful manufacturer. He is not an idealist in any sense. He believes in "the business thing." He asks of every suggestion, "Will it pay?"

He is one of the most independent men in British public life. He is not forced by his position to be a Liberal, although he belongs to the Carlton Club. He belongs to no clique and has few personal friends. No one puts him about. He is seldom seen in any public place. On public affairs he makes up his own mind and pours out his ideas through his newspaper, to the public, whether these ideas are popular or not.

He is not at all a journalist who has his ear full of "grasshoppers." He forces his personal views upon his readers, and his readers permit this not because they are blind followers of Rothmere but because of the general excellence of his papers.

Above all else, he is opposed to waste and unnecessary taxation. He went so far as to organize the Anti-Waste Party, which elected several members of Parliament.

He is an able, forceful writer and writes most of his own important announcements. He tells the British people unpleasant truths. He is not in the slightest degree a demagogue. On the contrary, he is a trifle too apt to be so.

FRIEND OF FRANCE

It was he more than anyone else who pulled down the Coalition Government and chased Mr. Lloyd George into the wilderness.

Rothmere is a sad, serious man. He lost two of his sons in the war. He has only one left—Edmond Harmsworth, who is the youngest member of Parliament.

He is generous, affable and sympathetic inside his own circle of friends, but so far as the British people are concerned he is a great impersonal organizing force.

As to Lord Beaverbrook, who has now become an associate of Lord Rothmere, he, too, is largely an unknown man to the British public.

He came to England from Toronto ten years ago. He was then Max Aitken, a broker and company promoter. He bought The Daily Express and he has done well with it. He is only forty-four and has vast ambitions. He now owns fifty-one per cent. of The Evening Standard. Rothmere holds forty-nine per cent. He has also The Sunday Express.

As to Sir Edward Hulton, who now retires from journalism, it is known that he was obliged to "sell out" because of persistent ill-health. He has not been well for four years. His main hobby is horse racing, and it is likely that when he recovers his health he will enter public life. He is a self-made man—in the prime of life, and not likely to remain idle.

After the ceremony a reception was held in the hall adjoining the church, where many friends and relatives gathered to wish the young couple every happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Dirom left on the afternoon train on their way to the Sound cities, where the honeymoon will be spent. On their return they will make their home in Duncan, where Mr. Dirom is a valued employee of the city.

DUNCAN HAS LOWEST TAX RATE OF B.C. CITIES

Duncan, Nov. 17.—It is a pleasure to be able to report that once again Duncan takes first rank amongst the city municipalities of the Province as having the lowest tax rate of any city in British Columbia, and holds that position by a large margin.

That position by a large margin, stated a report presented to the City Council Wednesday evening by the finance committee, based on its annual statement of the Inspector of Municipalities.

"Duncan's tax rate for the year is 25.1-2 mills, a reduction of 3.1-2 from the year previous, and this is levied on land only.

"At first glance it would appear that one city had a lower tax rate, i.e., 24 mills, but another table in the report shows that this particular municipality placed this tax on the improvements as well as on the land. If the total levy had been on land values only, as in Duncan, the number of mills for that city would have been 33.1-2 instead of 24.

"With the exception of these two cities there are none with a tax rate under 30 mills. Twelve cities have a tax rate between 33 and 40 mills, eleven between 40 and 50 mills, five between 50 and 60, and one has a tax rate of 64 mills. It is also interesting to note that in twenty-two cases out of thirty-three mill rates apply to improvements as well as land values.

"The inspector's report shows also the high standing of Duncan in other respects. The arrears of taxes have been steadily diminishing since 1917, and show another marked decrease for the last year.

"In the matter of sinking funds the combined shortages of the cities of the Province total almost \$1,250,000, and only fourteen of the thirty-three cities in British Columbia can show a surplus. It is satisfactory to note that Duncan is one of these, and has a substantial surplus in this respect."

Those present at the meeting were Mr. W. H. Elkington, chairman; Mrs. L. H. Hardie and Mrs. H. A. Morley; Victoria; Miss Margaret Ross, Vancouver; Mesdames Hird, Whitmore, Elkington, Corbushley and Christmas; Miss Wilson, Mayor C. T. Smith, Mr. F. S. Wood, Duncan; S. H. and D. Stephens, Parkville and E. W. Carr-Hilton, secretary.

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DIRECTORS TO GIVE LEAD IN BIG HOSPITAL DRIVE

President of Board Appeals to Fellow Directors to Set Example

President George McGregor made an appeal to the directors of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, at the board meeting last evening, to give personal assistance to the house to house canvass for the building fund, which will begin on Monday.

He pointed out that the work was falling into the hands of too few persons, and that to make a success of the appeal more widespread interest must be given. The directors were well satisfied with the returns in the "A" list to special donors, but the bulk of the funds must come from the general canvass. There were obstacles in the way, Mr. McGregor pointed out, but none of them were of such character as to deter the board in "putting over" the drive successfully.

Mrs. Rhodes made an appeal for lady canvassers, particularly those with cars, stating that the Women's Auxiliary was especially anxious to do its full share, but lacked adequate transportation facilities.

A communication was received

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from the Kiwanis Club in connection with the drive. Secretary Walker stated that the directors of the club believed they could secure a much heartier response from their members in connection with the present appeal to the public, provided that there was an assurance that such donations would be credited toward the special Kiwanis fund of \$10,000 promised by the club.

LECTURERS ADVISE POTATO GROWERS

More Interesting Addresses at Provincial Show

To leave the night open for the hockey game at the Arena, Friday night was left an open night in connection with the Provincial Potato Show in the basement of the Arcade Building. To-night the fair winds up with a banquet and dance at the Chamber of Commerce auditorium at which the Hon. F. A. Pauline will preside and the Premier, Hon. John Oliver, and the Minister of Agriculture, Hon. E. D. Barrow, will be among the speakers.

Meetings to perfect an organization of potato growers along the lines laid down by speakers during the week will also be held.

Yesterday afternoon G. M. Stewart, district seed inspector, Calgary, Alberta, and Cecil Tice, acting chief of the soil and crop division of the Department of Agriculture, addressed meetings. The seed inspector gave much valuable information to growers on certified seed. Ten times during the period from May 31 to January 31 any grower in the province may send seeds of any kind to the Dominion laboratory at Calgary for report on germination and purity. Mr. Stewart pointed out in the course of a strong advocacy of perfect seed.

Cecil Tice gave an interesting talk on the importance of the potato industry. He added his voice to the chorus of speakers urging organization of potato growers, pointing out that the yield in British Columbia had suffered through lack of organized effort. There were too many varieties grown in the Province, he added, and urged growers to discover the variety best suited to their district and stick to that variety. Better storage facilities were also needed, he speaker stated. Growers had been under a handicap of growing seed which was of poor quality and had not yet reached the stage where seed was perfect.

A. McEames, Dominion seed inspector, spoke on the seed situation in British Columbia, and J. Travis, manager of the United Seed Growers, Penticton, B.C., spoke on seed production and marketing. The discussion which followed the addresses showed the interest being taken by the growers in the matters brought before the meetings.

CANNOT AGREE ON BRIDGE ISSUE

Some Aldermen Think Railway Board's Opinion Should be Taken

No further action was taken by the City Council in Public Works Committee yesterday in connection with the terms of the resolution to amend the Railway Board's order for the use of the railway section of the Johnson Street Bridge, but two opinions from officials on the matter were received.

Alderman Woodward moved that the City Solicitor should be asked to oppose the application when the Railway Board sat in Victoria. The alderman pointed out that there was nothing in the letters presented by the Solicitor and Engineer adverse to the attitude adopted by the Council. The Solicitor had said there was nothing binding the city to regard the bridge as part of the station.

Alderman Sangster, who was in the chair, said for his part he would not mind if the train reached from Victoria to Russell Station.

Alderman Todd again declared himself opposed to any change of the resolution adopted by the aldermen some weeks ago in conformity with the agreement between the city and railway company, and incorporated into the 1919 by-law. If the navigation interests felt themselves aggrieved, said the alderman, they could make their representations before the Railway Board.

Alderman Sargent asked the Council to defer action until Monday, to enable the aldermen to consider the opinions, a course which was approved unanimously, after Alderman Gillespie had made the remark that if the longer period sought by the railway company was approved, the Upper Harbor was absolutely going to be spoiled.

PLAN TO ORGANIZE VETERANS' COUNCIL

Plans to form a council of the Dominion Veterans' Alliance in British Columbia were discussed at a meeting of representatives of returned soldier organizations held at the Veterans of France rooms last night called by H. D. Twiss, commander of the Victoria Post, Canadian Legion, Amalgamated Veterans. It is hoped to form a council in every province. It was stated, the council being under the Dominion Veterans' Alliance, head office at Ottawa.

The following organizations were represented last night: Amputees' Association, by E. J. Chivers; Army and Navy Veterans, by Comrades Money and Gardiner; Campaigners, by Mr. W. J. Edwards; Canadian Legion, by Messrs. H. D. Twiss and H. W. Hart; Grand Army of United Veterans, by Messrs. E. P. Kay and Crouch; Tubercular Veterans' Association, by Messrs. R. W. Gornall and R. Smith; Veterans of France, by Messrs. J. J. Taylor and J. McKenzie. No delegate from the Great War Veterans' Association was present.

BLOW CATCHES BEARER OF TALES

Chinaman Smacked on Side of Head by Angry Chinese Lady

Retribution, swift and merciless, caught Ng Gim as he sat yesterday in the sober precincts of the City Police Court. A few days ago Ng Gim, a gay if elderly Chinaman, accused Tong Shee, a Chinese beauty of passing summers, with theft.

Tong Shee was found guilty on the evidence given by Ng Gim and sentenced to serve two months in jail. Ng Gim alleged then that Tong Shee spurred him in the back with a butcher knife.

To-day, while passing Ng Gim in the court room the amiable Tong Shee leaned over and dealt him a wicked blow on the side of the head. Order was restored finally by a caution from the bench. Tong Shee and Ng Gim, charged with acts contributing to juvenile delinquency, were acquitted. R. C. Lowe appeared for the defence.

DECIDE POLICY PRIOR TO SITTING

The public works committee of the City Council yesterday received reports from the city engineer and city solicitor with regard to the application of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway to the variation of the order of the Railway Board which forbids the lowering of railway bridge.

The city is bound by a clause in the agreement with the company to ask the Railway Board for an amendment, and it is understood the question will be argued when the railway commissioners arrive here on November 29 for a sitting.

There was an implication during the negotiations, it is stated, that the company would have the benefit of the railway section of the Johnson Street Bridge for station purposes in order to make up trains, and thus it became practically a part of the yard.

The railway span is wider than usual, and has been floored for the purpose of convenient use by passengers entering and departing from the cars.

If such were the case, then only two circumstances could annul the privilege, first that the company had its agreement with the city voluntarily withdrawn from the position, and secondly, that such a course was not safe.

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ESQUIMALT BOARD CENSURES MEMBER

The proceedings of the special session of the Esquimalt Police Commission held on Wednesday evening were made public to-day. The meeting was called to consider the effigy incident, and discussion of a resolution censuring Commissioner Sidney Bowden, formed the greater part of the business of that session. The resolution follows:

DEPLORE EFFIGY

"Resolved that the Board of Police Commissioners of the Municipality of Esquimalt go on record expressing their regret at the burning of the effigy at the conclusion of a public meeting, called by Mr. R. H. Pooley, M.P.P., on Monday, November 5, and assure the public of this district that neither Reeve Lockley, Commissioner Hadfield or members of the police force had anything to do with the unfortunate affair; and deplore the fact that Commissioner Bowden, who took such an active part in it, should allow the name of Reeve Lockley and the members of the police force to be dragged into it without making any effort to disassociate them with the distasteful affair; and that this Board ask the Chief of Police to take every precaution to stop a recurrence of a similar nature, irrespective of party or person; and that a copy of

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